

ARMY FORCES LINE UP FOR DECIDING BATTLE

GRIEF GIVES
BLIND MAN
SIGHT

Merciful Providence Permits
J. H. Cain to Gaze On Dead
Wife's Countenance

'Thy Will Be Done' He Ex-
claims as Sight Disappears
as He Quits Coffin

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—The legendary love of Faucels and Philimon has found a parallel here in the affection of James H. Cain for his wife, Catherine, who proves powerful enough, when she died last Wednesday to restore sight to his blind eyes as he knelt beside her coffin and sobbed in an agony of grief.

For three days and nights, while the life of his helpmate ebbed slowly away, Cain did not sleep and took but little nourishment. For five years his sightless eyes had craved recognition of the faces of his wife and children, but his prayers remained unanswered and specialists told him hope was in vain.

When the end had come for Mrs. Cain, and the body reposed in a coffin in the parlor of the little home at 620 Fourth avenue, the husband entered the room and sank to his knees at the side of the coffin.

"I CAN SEE HER."

With tears still pouring down his wrinkled cheeks, a sudden transfiguration came over Cain's countenance. "I can see her," he exclaimed. "I can see her."

Members of the family, including a son, J. H. Cain Jr., who lives at 381 Twenty-sixth street, Oakland, hurried forward in astonishment. The father's eyes gazed at them all with the gleam of intelligence that had been denied for five years. Fate had willed that the husband might gaze upon the features of his wife as she lay in death, and he was again as blind as when he first entered the room where the remains of his wife were enshrouded. Members of the family vouch for the strange psychological event.

"THY WILL BE DONE."

"God help me," said Cain, "His will be done."

Cain was for twenty-five years a well known business man of this city. Five years ago he suffered a fall which caused injury to his spine and developed a growth at the base of the skull. The optic nerves in time became affected and Cain lost his eyesight completely. Specialists declined to operate, terming the case hopeless.

Mrs. Cain was buried last Friday from the Star of the Sea Catholic church in the Richmond district and a high mass was said for the repose of her soul.

There are five surviving children: James H. Jr., Alma A. Warren, Harold and Eleanor Cain, Mrs. F. H. Peck, Mrs. Al. Reifeld and Mrs. L. R. Stanbrough.

Sidna Edwards
Admits His Guilt

WYTHEVILLE, Va., Aug. 16.—Sidna Edwards, one of the Hillsville courthouse assassins, pleaded guilty today to second degree murder and was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

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CUPID PLAYS
POOR LILY
ELSIE FALSE

LILY ELSIE.

NOTED MUSICAL
COMEDY STAR
DYING

Malady Killing First
Wife Brings Second
to Brink of Grave.

LONDON, Aug. 17.—Her many friends and admirers will be sorry to learn bad news of the popular musical comedy favorite, Lily Elsie.

Since her marriage to Ian Bullough, a wealthy Scottish land owner, practically nothing has been seen of the fair Lily. Indeed, malicious scandal-mongers whispered she had left her husband and gone abroad. This is untrue, but unhappily there is a far more serious cause for her seclusion. Mrs. Bullough has fallen a victim of the same malignant malady which, after a brief married life of suffering, carried off Bullough's former bride, Maudie Darrell, also a musical comedy actress of note. It was announced that Lily would return to the stage at the conclusion of the run of "Gypsy Love" at Daly's theater, but there is now little hope that this plan will be realized. One eminent specialist only gives the famous beauty, who recently underwent an operation, a few months of life.

Capture Robber Who
Stole \$180,000 in Gems

PARIS, Aug. 17.—Developments in a gigantic international jewel robbery are expected when one of the Royal Mail liners arrives in Lisbon Wednesday. One of the men concerned in the theft of \$180,000 worth of gems from the liner, the former minister for Mexico to France, is believed to be on board and no one will be allowed to land until the ship has been searched for the robber. De Mier lives on the Boulevard Victor Hugo at Neuilly-sur-Seine, a suburb of Paris.

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CANAL BILL
IS BEFORE
TAFT

House Passes Measure and
Then Rushes It to the
President

Attempt Is Made to Return
New Law to Conferees
Committee

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Passed by the House without a recorded negative vote, the Panama canal tolls bill was rushed tonight to President Taft for his action, the Senate having previously adopted the conference report passing the bill.

Chairman Adamson of the committee on Interstate and foreign commerce, which framed the bill, is uncertain as to the President's position concerning the bill. No one knows what the President will do with it. At the White House it was stated that it would probably not be considered tonight.

Representative Moore of Philadelphia made a vigorous attack on the bill in behalf of the shipbuilders, threatening several sections with points of order. To prevent the shooting to pieces of the bill, the rules committee rushed through the House a resolution providing that no section of the bill should be subject to a point of order and that debate on it should be restricted. Moore made an unsuccessful effort to have the bill recommitted with instructions to the conferees to cut out the free material provision.

BILL IS ATTACKED.

In his attack on the bill Moore held that it would result in heavy loss to shipbuilders and consequent loss to mechanics and workmen generally.

"We are not building now in shipyards ships for the foreign trade," replied Chairman Alexander of the committee on merchant marine and fisheries.

"We have built a million tons in ships in the foreign trade. Our shipyards build for the coastwise trade only and this we have not disturbed. We do not believe in building up our merchant marine by paying tribute to the shipping trust. To protect our ships I got our conferees to put in this bill the duty of 30 per cent ad valorem on foreign vessels engaged in the foreign trade. I am willing that American shipyards shall have a monopoly on the construction of coastwise vessels. It was testified before our committee that it costs 40 per cent more to build ships in America than in England yards. I am a friend of American shipyards. I want them kept busy building ships for our merchant marine."

CLAIMS IT FOOLISH.

Representative Stevens, one of the House conferees who did not join with his colleagues in approval of the conference report, declared that the section extending the anti-trust law was foolish and unenforceable. This section was adopted by the Senate and prohibits use of the canal by ships charged with being in a trust.

Republican leader Mann upheld the right of this country to pass the bill in its present shape.

"I am sensitive on the question of our national honor," he observed, "but I don't think there is a reflection on our honor in the provision of free tolls for American coastwise ships. The canal with the additional cost for the army and navy, will cost this government \$50,000,000 a year. To say that we should place ourselves under this obligation without some special benefits to our people would write me down as a fool. I hope to see the genius who built that canal, General Goethals, rewarded by Congress and made a general in the army."

GENERAL DEFENSE MADE.

A general defense of the bill was made by Covington of Maryland, who claimed that this government, at its formation, had declared that commerce should be free throughout the Union and that the Panama canal, being on American land, was a link in the coastwise trade channels of this government.

Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish
Will Abandon Newport

Mansion at Fashionable Resort
Is Sold to Wealthy
Pittsburger.

Whipped Children With
Machine, Wife Without

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Aug. 17.—The radical mechanic applied to the chastisement of children today cost Prof. D. Abraham, associate professor at the University of Illinois, \$1250 in cash. The amount represented the fine imposed on him for whipping a 10-year-old boy with a machine against which a writ of habeas corpus had been granted. The machine which he invented for the purpose of punishing children was found to be in violation of the law.

HITS STAGE-STRUCK GIRL
WHY MANAGER IS "BAD"

MISS MAURINE RASMUSSEN, THE FAMOUS BERKELEY BEAUTY, WHO SAYS THE THEATRICAL MANAGERS ARE NOT REALLY SO NAUGHTY AFTER ALL.

Claims to Be Widow of
Man Who Took Own Life

A press dispatch received last night from St. Joseph, Mo., contained word that the former Mrs. Grace Taggart of that city, who was with J. T. Miles until three days before he shot himself to death in a room at the St. Mark Hotel, Oakland, Thursday night, produced yesterday a marriage certificate dated August 8, 1912, showing that the couple were married. Mrs. Miles started last night for this city. Mrs. Miles was formerly Mrs. James Clifford and had two children by him. When he died, she married William Taggart, postmaster of South St. Joseph, now census clerk at Washington, who divorced her about two years ago. Miles inherited a fortune from his father, Stephen B. Miles. He was a gay youth and a spendthrift in St. Joseph, where he was known as the "millionaire kid." New automobiles were his hobby and a year ago he ran over a messenger boy in the Missouri city who was awarded a verdict of \$1500.

American Marines Reach
Maragua to Fight Rebels

MANAGUA, Aug. 17.—There is great rejoicing at the Nicaraguan capital over the presence of 470 American blue-jackets and marines under Captain Warren T. Terhune, commander of the United States gunboat Annapolis. The government is sending troops to engage the rebels, who are reported gathering in the vicinity of the city of Leon.

Oakland Resident Meets
Death When Hit by Auto

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—A fast speeding automobile, the sight of which was cut off by a car which was running to catch, struck Carl Holland, a carpet layer of 4217 Webster street, Oakland, late this afternoon, killing him almost instantly. Holland, who was employed by the California Lumber company in this city, was walking down Courtland avenue when he saw a car approaching and ran for it. He was on his way to Ocean View to work. As he crossed the tracks the machine drove on by Fred W. Whitaker, of 155 Trist street, struck him, knocking him several feet and running over him. He was picked up and taken in the auto to St. Luke's hospital, but was dead on arrival in the machine with no other injuries.

Students of Many Nations
Enter Berkeley University

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY, Aug. 17.—Among the new students who will enter the university this autumn are the Misses Carmen and Stella Ybarra, grand daughters of President Ybarra, who are from Mexico. They will enter on the same day as the other students, and will be the first Mexican girls to enter the university.

Execution against his property was issued three weeks ago. A brother of Miles and Dr. F. C. Wiser, both of Los Angeles, are in this city taking charge of the dead man's affairs and preparing to ship his remains to the southern city. Dr. Wiser told the deputy coroner yesterday that he considered Grace Taggart in a sense responsible for young Miles' despondency, as she is alleged to have gained his affections and then to have left him. Dr. Wiser stated that prescriptions found in the young man's effects showed that he had made efforts to combat the drink habit.

At between 400 and 500 men. More than 2000 persons have fled from the city, fearing another attack. FORCES REQUEST SUPPLIES. PANAMA, Aug. 17.—The commander of the American forces in Nicaragua called to Camp Elliott today, requesting the dispatch of twenty tons of flour, three thousand rounds of ammunition and eight Colt automatic guns with 10,000 rounds of ammunition. Nicaragua is threatened with famine and a quantity of flour intended for its relief was lost this morning on board the steamer Newport when she sank at Naiboa.

Holland is survived by a wife and a five-year-old son. Another notable contrast at this time is the case of the Misses Carmen and Stella Ybarra, grand daughters of President Ybarra, who are from Mexico. They will enter on the same day as the other students, and will be the first Mexican girls to enter the university.

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GIRLS RELY ON
SHAPE, SAYS
MODEL

The Berkeley Maid Who
Posed for Fisher
Explains

The theatrical manager, currently represented as a sort of masculine vampire waiting to devour poor, defenseless, little maidens who want him to stand between them and starvation, is not so bad as he is painted, in the opinion of Miss Maurine Rasmussen. After a half year of posing for Harrison Fisher and another half year of successful work before the footlights, Miss Rasmussen has returned to her Berkeley home at 1912 Euclid avenue for a rest.

Out of many scores of California beauties upon whom the critical artistic eye of Harrison Fisher gazed eighteen months ago when he was casting about for a new model, Miss Rasmussen proved to him the most pleasing. She had what he termed a "slashing head" and she accepted his invitation to go back to little old New York and pose for him.

"FAIL FOR THEM," FROM GRACE. "If you could see the sort of girls and women that are continually chasing theatrical managers for jobs you would understand why the managers have a name for naughtiness," declared Miss Rasmussen yesterday. "They make me weary—the creatures they have no ability to act or sing or anything else, apparently, and they think a display of figure and face will get them a job. I used to see them every once in a while chasing up and down in the elevators, flirting even with the elevator boys. No wonder the managers fall from grace once in a while."

On the other hand, it is absolutely true that any self-respecting and well-known actress would not be caught dead in a position like that.

George Washington Did
Swear, Swears Lodge

Said "He Would Be Damned if
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FIGHT WILL
BEGIN ON
MONDAY

Colonel Gardener Ordered
Not to Advance to
Coyote

Two Engagements Fought
Between Red Army and
Retreating Blues

(By J. LAWRENCE TOOLE.)

BRIGADE CAMP, Blue Army, Coyote, Aug. 17.—The longest and sharpest finger of General Wankowski's invading army is using the light of a quarter moon tonight to scratch the back of Colonel Gardener's defending army, which started today to mobilize in this brigade camp.

With Gardener and his main force of infantry still twelve miles from the point of contact, mounted scouts from the Red army are skulking about in the hills looking down on the campfires of the brigade.

Cavalry outposts sent into the hills this afternoon have reported coming in touch with the enemy.

The speed and energy shown by the army under General Wankowski is amazing. Following two spirited engagements between the advance infantry of the Red army and Colonel Bowen's retreating Blue force column at San Juan and the Palero river this morning, in which the cavalry and mounted scouts under Wankowski distinguished themselves and in both of which the Red army was victorious, Colonel Bowen has been driven north to a point between Gilroy and Morgan Hill. He is still in full retreat tonight toward the main column now gathering around Coyote.

SURROUND REDS.

This afternoon the red army has Colonel Bowen's force practically surrounded north of Gilroy. Colonel Bowen barely succeeded in getting safely away to a point where he could wait the arrival of artillery reinforcements rushed from Coyote.

During the night or at dawn tomorrow the cavalry which reached here today under Major Kay and which has been strengthened by the addition of the Oakland battery B, under Captain Faneuf, will be rushed to the relief of Colonel Bowen. By the time this battery is with Colonel Bowen, General Wankowski will have two crack batteries of artillery under his command, the first field battery of Utah, under Captain W. C. Webb, and battery A, Los Angeles, under Captain A. A. Ford.

The deciding battle of the war will take place in the hills and mountains around Coyote. The stage setting will be finished by noon tomorrow, by that time Colonel Gardener will have his full strength here or in positions within a radius of twelve miles.

WANKOWSKI NEAR.

Before dark tomorrow General Wankowski will have brought his front within striking distance of the blue army. As a matter of fact the mounted scouts of Wankowski's army are tonight actually within Gardener's line.

This light and mobile branch of the military, recently established by General Fisher, has already shown its effectiveness by raids on Colonel Bowen's rear guard. In one of these raids today several of Bowen's mounted orderlies acting as scouts were captured after as pretty a scrap between mounted men as anyone could wish to see. These mounted scouts

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Wife of Russian Count
Hurt in Auto Accident

Mme. Helena D'Oroovong Goes
With Machine Over 15-
Foot Embankment.

ena d'Oroovong, said to be the wife of a Russian count and well known in diplomatic circles at Washington, where she resides, was severely injured in an auto accident here late last night. Mrs. d'Oroovong was returning from Towson, a northern suburb, and the machine skidded and went over a 15-foot embankment. Mme. d'Oroovong, who is a well-known social figure, was taken to the hospital.

The Association of American Advertisers has been organized and is now in the process of organizing a campaign to increase the circulation of this publication. The figures of circulation contained in the Association's report only are guaranteed.

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POOR MANAGER IS DEFENDED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17. — The California Reclamation bill which has been held up in the House by Minority Leader Mann was passed in the Senate today. The bill will now go on the privileged calendar of the House with a chance for action at this session.

own material if desired.
Painted with this new de-

COUNTY DIVISION MARSHAL IS CHOSEN BY NATIVE SONS

W. E. KELLY (UPPER LEFT), J. POWERS AND H. C. BARTON (LOWER), PROMINENT NATIVE SONS. (Dorcas, Photo)



TO HEAD DIVISION AT CELEBRATION

Committee Is Addressed by
Congressman Joseph R.
Knowland.

At the meeting of the Alameda county Admission Day committee held last night in the City Hall, M. B. Morrison was chosen as division marshal to head Alameda county, which has been assigned an entire division in the big parade at Stockton on September 9. Many novel features are in preparation to be used by the Alameda county paraders, as they are going to Stockton with the determination of showing why they want the 1912 celebration to be held in Oakland.

Past Grand President Joseph R. Knowland addressed the committee and pledged his aid in promoting the aims and objects of the committee.

The ways and means committee reported that nearly all of the merchants in Alameda county have agreed to close their stores on Admission Day.

The transportation committee has the tickets in charge and have distributed them at the following stores to be placed on sale: Berens, Sherrin & Co., Mecca, saloon and Lynne Stanley's. A special train will leave the Western Pacific railway at 7 p. m. on Saturday, September 7, from the depot at Third and Washington streets.

Among the local Native Sons who are assisting in planning for the coming celebration are H. C. Barton of the press committee; W. E. Kelly, chairman of ways and means committee; J. McCarthy, transportation committee; H. J. Morgan and J. Powers.

ROLPH RETURNS FROM INSPECTION

Mayor of San Francisco and
Consulting Engineer See
Hetch Hetchy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—John R. Freeman, consulting engineer, while reviewing today some of the incidents of his inspection trip with Mayor Rolph, the three army engineers and other official investigators to the Hetch-Hetchy valley, made sarcastic reference to the grounds on which the "nature lovers" opposition to the city's water project has been based.

"At Soldiers' Camp," said the engineer, "we learned to our astonishment that although the tourist season for the high mountains district is now nearly at an end, and just two persons from outside of California had visited the Hetch-Hetchy valley, and these, a man and his wife from Missouri, had been taken there as guests by San Francisco visitors."

"Not a soul had been near the place from Boston or New York, where those who demand the preservation of the valley as a 'paradise for campers' have their stronghold."

"The simple fact of the matter," continued the engineer, "is that because of the inaccessibility of the district—and the mosquitoes—about the only people who have been going there are San Franciscans and a few from Modesto and other neighboring towns. This despite the acknowledged beauty of the valley."

"This year the Cascades are rather low, and the one which John Muir named the 'Tulelake,' and about which he wrote a rhapsody, usually dries up and vanishes much earlier in the season than the mosquitoes, for which reason very few people ever have a chance to see it."

Despite his reflection on people who go into ecstasies over the attractions of the valley—and don't go there to see them—Freeman yields to none of them in admiration of the undeniable beauty of the district.

"WHO OWNS THE WORLD?" Dr. John Stephens, pastor of Grace M. E. Church, at Twenty-first and Capp street, will preach this morning on "Who Owns the World?" and in the evening on "The Law of the Single Standard." There will be the usual excellent music, under the direction of Mr. Robert Hubbard, with T. E. Whitten at the organ.

REV. BURLINGAME TO SPEAK. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—At the First Baptist Church, Octavia street at Market, Sunday, Pastor George E. Burlingame will preach on "The Continuous Cry of Suffering Souls" at the evening service. In the morning the sermon will be by Rev. A. C. Kane of the Anti-Slavery League.

SPEECH ON "SHINING LIGHTS." SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—At the Young Women's Christian Association, 1215 Broadway, Sunday, a special service will be held at 8 o'clock. The speakers will be Miss Hannah M. H. and Miss Hannah M. H. and Miss Hannah M. H.

WILSON TALKS TO CROWDS AT HOME

In Address to Women Says
They Will Be Great Aid in
Politics.

SEA GIRT, Aug. 17.—Governor Woodrow Wilson delivered two speeches at the New Jersey Day celebration here this afternoon. The first was to the men and concerned the politics of the State of New Jersey with a surprising reference to the Roosevelt presidential campaign.

The second, delivered to the Women's Union and Marshall League, which was organized on the grounds in the course of the day, was as much of a surprise as the first. Wilson has never expressed himself on the subject of woman suffrage, but in this speech, though he did not commit himself one way or the other, he certainly gave the women a hearty welcome to the field of politics, where he said they would be as indispensable as they are delightful.

The governor's speech to the women was made from the porch of the little office building at the south end of the grounds. It was heartily received by perhaps 2000 of the most prominent women in New Jersey.

FAVORS SUFFRAGE.

"I know how all-powerful the ladies are in any movement they care to put their strength to," began the governor. "Politics is really the life of us, from the standpoint of what can be done by legislation. When the women, who are in so many respects part of that life, begin to take an interest in politics, then you know that sympathy and intellect are going to be interlarded so your politics will be the same as our lives. Nobody is more in contact with the cost of living. The men do not for example have to determine their own fashions. We are dressed by our tailors, Willy Nilly, and sometimes very grotesquely. The ladies have to exercise their own taste and among them they sometimes exercise a great deal. When it comes to the immediate contact of the pocket book with life the women know where the sensitiveness is. The women do the purchasing and careful planning which is necessary in these days of tremendous cost."

The governor's reference to the third party movement was made as an illustration of the awakening of the people which has been the work of the old political ring which for years dominated New Jersey.

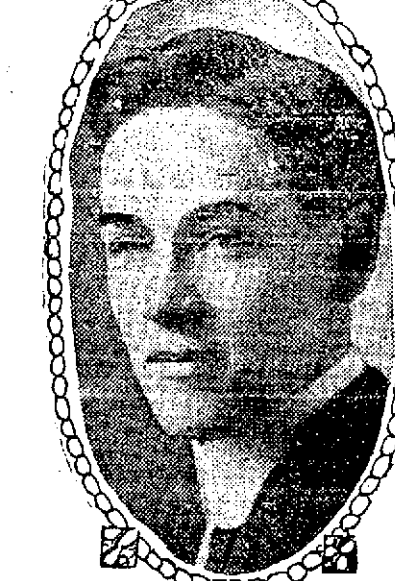
TALKS ABOUT MOOSE.

"I suppose you know the force that is behind the new party recently formed, the so-called Progressive party. It is the force of discontent with the regular parties of the United States. It is the feeling that men have gone into blind alleys and come out often enough that they propose to find an open road for themselves."

After he had completed his speech the governor was asked to explain this statement. He said that what had happened was this: "That the independent and progressive forces of the county had utterly failed to get control of the Republican party, but had absolutely proved their ascendancy and of control in the Democratic party; that the people had found that they could make use of the Democratic party as a proper medium for their purposes."

The governor's speech was well received by the crowd. The governor's speech was well received by the crowd. The governor's speech was well received by the crowd.

SPENDING THEIR HONEYMOON AT SHASTA RETREAT



MR. AND MRS. PERRY WATSON

One of the prettiest home weddings of the week was that which united Rhoda C. Forry and Perry Watson, an employee of the Southern Pacific signal service.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Forry. Rev. Dr. W. V. Case, pastor of the Shattuck Avenue M. E. church, performed the ceremony at the Watson home, 5414 Gebois street, last Wednesday in the presence of friends and relatives.

The bride was attended by Miss Mae Demming, while Robert Tabor acted as best man. The home was beautifully decorated with ferns and pink asters.

The bride was daintily gowned in white messaline draped with pink chiffon, and carried a bouquet of lilacs of the valley. The maid of honor wore a dress of blue chiffon and carried a cluster of pink baby roses. Miss Lucille Easter played the wedding march. The young couple will enjoy a short stay at Shasta retreat, after which they will occupy the home just recently completed on Boyd avenue, in this city.

FLYING LEGION TO START THURSDAY

1915 Fair Representatives Will
Be Well Entertained in
Northwest.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Preparations are being made by the citizens of Portland, Oregon, to royally entertain the Exposition's "Flying Legion" when it arrives in that city on August 31.

The power LARGEST of entertainment that has been arranged by Seattle, Tacoma and Vancouver has not as yet reached the executive committee, but it is understood that those cities are making extensive preparations for reception and entertainment of the visitors.

Frederick J. Koster, chairman of the "Flying Legion" was greatly pleased to receive word that the lieutenant-governor would be in the city in Victoria to join in the reception.

The special train will leave this city on next Thursday afternoon at 4:40 p. m. Earl Bitter, advisor in sculpture, and A. S. Hume, chief of sculptors of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, will leave tomorrow morning for New York, and within a few days the other members of the architectural commission will follow.

Richardson of the firm of McKim, Mead & White, and Theodore Drake of Carrere & Hastings, designers of the main court and main tower, respectively, will also depart for New York.

The eastern members of the architectural commission will return to this city in November next to attend the third meeting of the commission.

Plans for the machinery building, which are being prepared by Ward & Rhinow of this city, members of the architectural commission, are already under way. Speaking about this important exhibition place for the coming world's fair, Charles R. Ward, a member of the firm, said:

"A plan as near perfection as possible has been made for our past year's work. The treatment of the building will be a free adoption of Spanish renaissance, and the classical period of influence on architecture in Mexico."

"Ornament and decoration will be picked up and will be especially adapted to night illumination. Mr. Rhinow is to be in charge of the drawings, which we hope to turn in an early completion. In fact, we hope to have this plan ready for a main exhibit place."

DIAN STANLEY. The plan is being prepared by Mr. Rhinow, a member of the architectural commission, and is being prepared by Mr. Rhinow, a member of the architectural commission.

CHICAGO SOX WILL VISIT THIS STATE

The Team Will Train at Paso
Robles, Coming West in
Palace Train.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Ted Sullivan, representing the Chicago White Sox, arrived here today from the Northwest and is making arrangements for the coming spring training trip of the Sox.

According to present plans, the big leaguers will do their training at Paso Robles, Fort Springs, where the San Francisco Seals trained last spring. A committee from Paso Robles is on its way here to confer with Sullivan, who during the week will pay a visit to the resort himself and look over the ground.

Sullivan says that the Sox will come west in a special train, which will be known as the "Panama Special." Charles Comiskey will be in charge of it, and in addition to the ball players it will bring ten or fifteen Chicago aldermen and an army of writers.

The train will include four sleeping coaches, two diners, an observation car and a theater car, where there will be entertainment every night. According to Sullivan, the White Sox will make California their permanent training field.

While in the Northwest Sullivan purchased Pitcher Clark of the Vancouver club, who has been one of the stars of Fielder Jones' league this season.

"THE CURE OF CITIES." SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—The Sacramento of the Lord's Supper and the receipt of new members will be the order at the public worship in Hamilton Methodist Episcopal church, Callier and Belvedere streets, at 11 a. m. At 7:45 Rev. John Jackson, the pastor of the church, will preach on the subject, "The Cure of Cities."

Bitter, representing the personalities who were greatest in the advancement of mechanical arts. Presbiter Archibald Bitterburg, Watt, and possibly Edison, as representing respectively the early progress in mechanics, the discovery of steam and the application of electricity.

"In my opinion the plan of the exposition is a most wonderful thing. It makes a great step in advance of any exposition heretofore held. It combines not only opportunities for useful efforts but results in the protection of the people from elements, pointing a number of beautiful nature in which the people may enjoy in an all-around way."

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Styles

Priced \$19.95 to \$40.00

We have made a special study of the garment business for this fall and can safely say that you can be pleased from our large and varied stock. The styles are exclusive—the lines graceful—and the workmanship perfect. High-class fabrics enter into the making and novelty mixtures, such as: Woven Ratine, Wide Wale, Two-tone Diagonals, Pebble Serges and Zibelines figure prominently. All the correct shades of brown, tan and grey are represented and our perfect tailoring department insures you a perfect fit of every garment.



Introductory Sale of Ink Blue Serge Suits, \$17.50

We have selected this trade-winner from our Suit Stock to effect a large business on Monday. You will find them stylish, snappy and finely tailored. Made of medium weight imported serge, strictly tailored; coat 32 inches long, lined with Skinner satin. Skirt has side strap in front and is trimmed with fancy buttons. A garment up to the minute at, special, \$17.50.

Fall Coat Styles \$14.95 to \$37.50

Your early selections in Fall Coats always gives you a decided advantage while assortments are at their best. There is nothing so much wanted as a new Coat; in fact, we prepared for this in an unusual way, buying the largest assortment and having the most popular styles for your selection. Materials are: Rough Mixtures, Diagonals, Broadcloths, Scotch Tweeds, Shetland Cloth, Wide Wale, Two-tone Diagonals, etc. Each one a beauty—plain tailored, tight-fitting or semi-fitting styles; also smart Auto Coats trimmed effectively on collar and cuffs with high-grade furs.

Pre-Autumn Sale of Silks

This coming week will be one of great activity in our Silk Department. The values assembled have reached a degree of importance seldom seen so early in August in any Silk Department. Every item in this ad is worthy of your attention. Don't miss this great Pre-Autumn Offering. Be here at 9 a. m. sharp. The values are great.

BLACK SILKS

in the most wanted materials and widths.

20-inch Wide All-Silk Messaline, soft finish and shimmering. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard 39¢

27-inch Wide Messaline Silk, nice lustrous finish. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard 69¢

20-inch Moire Silk, good heavy quality. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard 75¢

24-inch Radzimer Silk, a splendid material for making coats. Special, yard 95¢

36-inch Peau de Sole, extra soft finish. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard 89¢

36-inch Peau de Cygne, in a soft, dull finish. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard \$1.18

COLORED SILKS

in novelty checks, plaid or striped effects; also plain colors.

36-inch All-Silk Pongee, extra high lustrous. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard 33¢

27-inch All-Silk Messaline in the new combination stripes. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard 65¢

24-inch Embroidered Silk in a beautiful array of colorings. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard 75¢

36-inch Chiffon Taffeta in the newest Chameleon effects. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard 98¢

24-inch Wide Dresden Plaid and Chiffon Taffeta Silks in the latest shadings. Pre-Autumn Sale price, yard \$1.00

40-inch Silk and Wool Faille—the newest weave for fall wear in the latest colorings. Special, yard \$1.50

GIRLS BITTEN BY PET FOX TERRIER

Dog Snaps and Sinks Teeth
Into Flesh of Little
Playmates.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—A pet fox terrier with whom two grammar school girls were playing this afternoon bit both severely before their parents, who were present, could intervene to help them. The victim was Mira Morris, aged 14, daughter of Dr. Ariel Morris, a dentist of 1424 Lake street, and her little friend, Helen Lazarus, aged 11, of 2133 Lyon street. Mrs. Morris took the girls to call on a friend, Mrs. M. L. Frank of 1283 Sixth avenue. Mira had been there before, and was crossing the little fox terrier, when her friend attempted to play with it.

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POPULAR CLOTHIER OPENS NEW STORE

Cherry's Cloak and Suit House
a Model of Its
Kind.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—A huge wave which swept over the beach below the cliff house while little Donald Collin, aged 4, of 308 Chattanooga street, was in wading, knocked him down and fractured his collarbone. The youngster was romping in the surf with his mother not far distant, when he ventured into a little deeper water and the incoming tide threw him overboard.

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SPELLBINDERS FOR CAMPAIGN LISTED

Work Begins at Progressive
and the Republican
Headquarters.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Work at both Progressive and Republican headquarters was started today and tentative lists of "spellbinders" compiled.

The Illinois State Progressive campaign was launched at a meeting of the twenty-six members of the State committee, at which Ned McCormick, State chairman, presided.

State Senator Frank Funk of Bloomington, candidate for Governor on the Progressive ticket, addressing the committee, said:

"We propose to make Illinois a free State. When I say free State I mean a State in which the people have the right of big business and had politics and taken their government back into their own hands."

W. A. Plummer Mfg. Co.
LAWN SWINGS, BEACH CANOPIES,
"SOLID COMFORT"
COTTAGE HAMMOCKS
ARMY COTS, BLANKETS, ETC.
AWNINGS AND DROP CURTAINS
For Sleeping Porches, Verandas, etc.
FLAGS, PENNANTS

JOVIAL 'JOHN' IS TO LEAVE ORPHEUM

Manager of the San Francisco House Resigns; Will Make Tour of East.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—To make friends is a gift; to hold them is an art. So, when a man is mentioned who has made and kept more friends, perhaps, than any other man in a city where friendships are of necessity strong and lifelong, we know that he is gifted, is an artist and above all, is the real kind of a man. John Morrissey, after twenty years of making friends at the Orpheum, is about to leave the institution he helped to make famous.

John is rather reticent as to his future plans. All he will say is that he is going to have a theater of his own. Where it will be, what kind it will be and other details he will not talk of, but he has great stress on the fact that he is not going to leave San Francisco—which is cheering news—for San Francisco without John Morrissey would be a sad spectacle there. Oakland without the mole.

SECURED MORRISSEY.
Twenty years ago Gustav Walter, then owner and manager of the original Orpheum, the pioneer vaudeville house of California, decided that the only way to make his house pay was to get a live manager. Somebody told him that John Morrissey was managing a house in Chicago and that he was the man for the job.

Walter was lucky, for he secured John's services and from the first week that the new manager arrived he began making friends and the fortunes of the Orpheum began their wonderful flight from the depths of threatening failure to the present high of success. From a single house that struggled along, to the greatest circuit of them all; a circuit in which performers, who sign contracts, do so for a whole year.

John did not have an easy time at first, but his wonderful knack of making people see things from his point of view and getting them to work with him for the success of the enterprise of which he was in charge, was the extra weight on the right end of the scales of fortune and it was not long before San Francisco was treated to a series of vaudeville entertainments that nobody had ever dreamed to be possible.

With the rise of the Orpheum's fortunes Walter decided to reach out and the Orpheum in Los Angeles was established, followed by the house in Kansas City and the dozens of other theaters which are now owned or controlled by the Orpheum Company.

THEY ALL SAY "JOHN."
Few people are calling him "Mr. Morrissey." You do it the first time you meet him, of course, but slip naturally into the friendly habit of "John" and he is the same with other people. Somebody once said of him that if Sara Bernhardt would appear at the Orpheum it would be only a few hours before John was calling the diva "Sally" and making her like it.

It is this "wonderful way with him," combined with a keen business ability which enabled him to win his position. He can talk a headline act into going on first and he will do it in such a way that the actors really are glad to do it for him.

John is a member of Number One Lodge of the Elks in New York and an honorary life member of Number Three Lodge in San Francisco. So it is only natural that his brother Elks have arranged a send-off for him and every member of the order who can get there will attend the Orpheum a week from Thursday evening to do honor to the retiring manager.

GREAT EXPERIENCE.
John has had experience in all lines of theatrical work, from "griping" to managing. He made his first professional appearance at Trinity's Variety theater in Pittsburgh, with a singing and dancing act, and for several years was known as one of the sweetest voiced ballad singers in America.

His graduating to a managerial capacity came as a natural result of his success for the work. That he will be successful in his new enterprise not one of the thousands in San Francisco who know his jolly smile can doubt, for if John Morrissey manages a "theater," they will have no opportunity to enter human dwellings and spread the disease through the transference of their fleas to man.

When the plague was reported in Porto Rico, the health and Marine Hospital Service of the United States at once doubled its precautions in order to prevent this ancient disease from gaining access to our Eastern and Southern ports. Our experience with the disease has demonstrated the fact that it is only by measures of the utmost promptitude and efficiency that such diseases can be successfully eradicated. Therefore Assistant Surgeon S. B. Grubbs, who was already port hygiene notes chief quarantine officer, immediately put into operation the machinery which is used to prevent the disease from leaving an infected port.

CARRIED BY FLEAS.
This embodies a thorough outgoing quarantine which means that all ships and cargoes are being charged a cargo that they are to be kept in quarantine and that the only freight that can be shipped is that which has been certified as having originated and having been stored in rat-proof surroundings.

Plague is carried to man from the fleas of infected rats. So if we can prevent the transportation of rats from infected ports into non-infected ports, we can prevent the shipment of plague from stricken territory into clean communities.

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How do you fight plague? To fight plague you must not only make a war of extermination on the rat, but you must also make a war on the flea which carries the disease to man and prevent its being transmitted to man.

To exterminate the rodents, you must take into consideration every single factor of their existence. The first thing is to cut off the rat's food supply. This implies a clean household both inside and outside. It does not mean that the remnants of the meals are merely out of sight, or that the refuse from the stables can be thrown into an uncovered bin, but it means that all foods which might tempt the rat shall be rendered inaccessible by the use of metal containers or metal screening.

BEST MEANS TO KILL.
Once you have done this it is easy to kill the rats off by using poisons. It has been my observation that phosphorus paste is one of the best poisonous agents. It shines at night and the rats seem to like its taste and odor. Another advantage it has is that it deteriorates, hence you are not likely to kill an animal you never intended to harm a couple of years after you put the poison out. No matter what kind of poison is used it must be put out carefully so that children and domestic animals will not come in contact with it.

In order to trace the course of the disease in rats it is necessary to obtain samples of the rodent population. To do this two kinds of traps are used—the large wire-cage trap and the smaller snap trap. The cage trap has the advantage that it takes the rats alive and thus permits scientific investigation of the fleas upon their bodies. In this connection it may be stated that in San Francisco and Porto Rico many careful studies are being made of the different species of fleas.

HOW TO SET TRAPS.
It requires just as much intelligence and care to trap rats as it does to trap mink or otter. The rat should be firmly attached to the trap; the trap must be placed in the run-way of the rat.

The surroundings must be changed as little as possible and every precaution taken to prevent frightening the quarry. Flies and larvae are required to train rat trappers. And a peculiar combination of skill and patience is necessary to produce a good rodent-hunter.

All captured rats must be tagged to show where, when and how and by whom they are captured. They are then taken to a laboratory and examined by a skilled corps of officers for evidence of disease.

The captured rats are first immersed in an antiseptic solution to kill the fleas. Next a tucker affixes the tag to a shingle. The shingle is then given a number so that even if the tag is lost, the identity of the rat remains established.

LOOK FOR INFECTION.
Next the rat is passed to the skinner, who with a pair of forceps in one hand and a sharp scalpel in the other reflects the skin from the abdomen of the rat and looks at the arm pits and groins for enlarged glands. He then opens the body and looks for the presence of plague.

Remarkable how skillful these laborers become in recognizing plague, leprosy and the host of other diseases which affect rats.

Next the rats are gone over carefully by an officer who has been trained in a hygienic laboratory in the recognition of this disease. Should he find anything suspicious he makes the bacteriological cultures necessary to establish or disprove his diagnosis.

Suppose that a plague-infected rat is found, the field force is immediately notified and the district from which the infected animal came is subjected to a thorough cleaning and disinfection.

been put in force in Porto Rico and in Puerto de Tierra. Large numbers of unsanitary buildings have also been destroyed, others have been rat-proofed by the use of impervious material, such as concrete and sheet iron, and still others have been raised in the air so as to allow easy access to the cat and the dog, the natural enemies of the rat.

'LOVE ME, LOVE MY DOG,' IS AGED MAN'S PROTEST
NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—When Frank Senter, 72, a retired fireman, entered into the streets of New York City, he was asked to love his dog and to love his neighbor. Senter, who is a well-known figure in the city, was seen walking his dog and was asked to love his dog and to love his neighbor. Senter, who is a well-known figure in the city, was seen walking his dog and was asked to love his dog and to love his neighbor.

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DR. RUPERT BLUE AFTER RATS



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Ports on Eastern Coast Are Being Closely Guarded to Prevent Disease Getting Foothold

(By Surgeon-General Rupert Blue of the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service.)

Plague has appeared for the first time upon the eastern borders of the United States. The nearest point from which the disease has heretofore approached our Atlantic and Gulf seaboard is the Azores. But now it has found a lodgement in Porto Rico, where it has already caused forty-two cases and a score of deaths, and in Havana, Cuba, where a dozen persons have been attacked and several deaths have occurred.

Plague, then is on our doorstep. And now I am going to indicate measures which are being taken to prevent it from crossing the threshold. The cities on the Atlantic and Gulf coast, realizing that an absolute quarantine against rats, without the prohibition of commerce, is almost an impossibility, have begun the work of examining their rodent population for plague. All vessels bound for San Juan and Havana bound for the United States, are thoroughly fumigated and every known measure taken to prevent their bringing rats into our ports. Crusades against rats are also under way in the threatened cities.

ALL PORTS GUARDED.

I cannot prophesy what United States ports, if any, will be attacked, nor can I say which will be the first to suffer from invasion of the plague. Indeed, it is to be hoped that the timely warning that has been given and the manifold precautions that have been taken will serve to protect us. But in the meantime it is imperative that the health and Marine Hospital Service of the United States at once doubled its precautions in order to prevent this ancient disease from gaining access to our Eastern and Southern ports. Our experience with the disease has demonstrated the fact that it is only by measures of the utmost promptitude and efficiency that such diseases can be successfully eradicated. Therefore Assistant Surgeon S. B. Grubbs, who was already port hygiene notes chief quarantine officer, immediately put into operation the machinery which is used to prevent the disease from leaving an infected port.

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DEBENTURE NOTES WILL BE ISSUED

Northern California Power Co. Application Brings Forth New Principle.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—New general principles involving public finance, were laid down by the railroad commission today in granting the application of the Northern California Power Company for issue of \$500,000 in 6 per cent debenture notes. The money is to be used to refund existing obligations and to reimburse the company for expenditures made for plant construction. As a condition to the granting of the application the commission required that the company shall provide against any impairment.

"The question presented here," says the commission, "is, shall the commission allow the contracting of new indebtedness by a utility regardless of its present financial condition as long as the new indebtedness does not add to its already existing obligations, but merely substitutes a new obligation for one that now exists or shall the commission in every case take into consideration the present financial condition of the utility applying to issue stocks and bonds?"

DISPOSED TO ALLOW.
"We are disposed, under all the circumstances, to allow the issue of these debenture notes, but it will be necessary that each claim before payment from the proceeds thereof shall be presented to this commission so that it may be determined whether or not such claim is one in the payment of which the proceeds of these debenture notes should be used."

"If the condition of this company is as urged by its officers then no doubt the proceeds from the sale of the notes will put it into such a condition as regards its affairs that in its regular course of business it may take care of its other obligations."

OBLIGATIONS LEFT.
"If, on the other hand, it shall develop that there have not been expenditures made upon the plant in which funds were used to refund the property have been devoted to the payment of taxes and other operating expenses of the concern, we will have left obligations which can legally be paid from the proceeds of these notes and which should not in justice to the patrons of this utility be paid from future rates and therefore an assessment of the stock will be necessary."

WESTERN GIRLS DO NOT ADVISE FOR HUSBANDS

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Mrs. Clara L. Brown, the "rich widow," who asked Mayor Gaynor of New York and Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston to find her a mate, declaring she "couldn't see the corn-fed products" of the West, is busily engaged in sorting the contents of three large mail sacks, proposals of marriage from eligible bachelors, "corn-fed" and otherwise.

No one suspected the matronly lady, who entered the Congress with her maid of being the owner of the six-figure fortune who wanted a cultured Eastern husband. She immediately made herself known, however, took her mail and left with mail and maid in a taxi cab.

The mail, very voluminous, which is to act as guide against unwelcome Chicago "barbarians," told the reporters Mrs. Brown was going to New York, but whether she would enter the matrimonial lists in the East the maid said she did not know.

Girls' Stroller Coats, \$5

Full line Stroller Coats for Girls, 8 to 16-year sizes; nice quality mixtures in pretty plain and fancy styles. Plain and belted backs with convertible collars; best and biggest values of the season. Other styles in Strollers at \$6.50 and with raglan sleeves at \$7.50.

S. N. Wood & Co.

Oakland COR. WASHINGTON AND 11TH STS. COR. MARKET AND 4TH STS. San Francisco

Opening Sale of Women's New Fall Suits

Hundreds of Women's Suits in the newest Fall models on sale tomorrow at money-saving prices. Particulars below.

Lot 1—Women's Suits **\$9.75**
One Sale at

Serges, broadcloths, chevots, mixtures and diagonals. Mostly plain tailored models; some fancy trimmed styles, nearly all with guaranteed satin lining. Good assortment of styles and colors; values in most cases more than double. On sale at **\$9.75**

Women's New Fall Suits **\$15.00**
Worth up to \$25. On Sale at

Cheviots, serges, whipcords, diagonals, broadcloths and mixtures; also black and white stripes, in navy blue, brown, all black and popular mixtures. These in strictly tailored and new fancy models in sizes for women and misses, mostly with guaranteed lining; regular values up to \$25. On sale now at **\$15.00**

Women's Novelty Fall Suits **\$19.50**
Worth up to \$30.00

Immense assortments of new Fall Suits in serges, diagonals, Scotch tweeds, mannish mixtures and broadcloths. Fancy trimmed models, Norfolk style, cutaway effects and novelty styles elaborately trimmed. Blacks, blues, browns, tans, grays; in fact, all colors. High-class garments, worth up to \$30.00. On sale now at **\$19.50**

Women's Suits **\$25.00**
Worth up to \$45. On Sale at

Exclusive styles in finely tailored garments of the very highest class. Imported broadcloths, fine chevots, new diagonals in mannish worsteds in fancy models copied direct from foreign importations; also Norfolk and cutaway styles of the very newest design. Beautiful new effects in this lot on sale at **\$25.00** which can not be duplicated for less than \$40 or \$45. Sizes both for women and misses.

Swagger New Coats FOR WOMEN

\$9.75 to \$35.00

A most interesting collection is ready now. Individual and exclusive styles in fine new double-faced fabrics—wide zebra and diagonal weaves; also novelty stripes, checks and mixtures. Women who like both style and comfort in a coat will find these coats decidedly to their liking.

GREATER VALUES THAN EVER

New Fall Suits

\$15 to \$60
For Ladies and Misses

Man-Made \$19.50 Suits

At this price we will present tomorrow a remarkable selection of the reigning Autumn styles in navy, brown and black. Nobby Mixtures, Homespun, Diagonals and Whipcords, in tan, brown and blue effects. All are lined with guaranteed satin.

Novelty \$29.50 Suits

We are exceedingly proud of our showing of autumn models at \$29.50. They comprise a most careful selection from the best manufacturers. There are fine Serges, hard-finished Worsteds, chiffon Broadcloths, Scotch Tweeds and New Mixtures—high-grade workmanship in all.

New Fall Coats \$10 to \$40

A remarkable variety for Ladies, Misses and Juniors—"Always Best Values."

DON'T FAIL TO VISIT OUR GIRLS' COAT DEPARTMENT

Norfolk Suits
A Special Value at
\$15

Loggery
CLOAK & SUIT HOUSE

568-572 Fourteenth St., Bet. Clay and Jefferson

Serge Suits
A Special Value at
\$15

YOUNG WOMAN ACCUSED OF ROBBING FRIENDS

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 17.—Accused of having stolen and sold \$2000 worth of household furnishings from a family which had befriended her, Estelle Fowler, a young woman, who lives in Tenth street above Jefferson, was arrested by Detectives Emanuel and Belshaw, and held in \$1200 bail by Magistrate McFarland for trial.

The household furnishings belonged to Ernest Cox and his wife, whose home is at 5784 Rodman street. Cox testified that some months ago, when Mrs. Fowler's husband became ill with tuberculosis and was unable to support her, he and Mrs. Cox gave Mrs. Fowler a home and adopted her little baby. About a week ago Cox went to Chicago with his wife and the baby. Mrs. Fowler was given a key to the Rodman street house. Cox said that he came back to the city Sunday, and upon going to his home he

SECRETARY OF PEACE MOVEMENT TO SPEAK

William C. Allen of Philadelphia, Western secretary of the International Peace Movement, will deliver a discussion at the Oakland Y. M. C. A. this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock on the relation of the movement to religion and politics. Allen is thoroughly informed on his subject, and a large number of men are expected to be in attendance.

ARE EVER AT WAR.

There are two things everlastingly at war, joy and pain. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve will banish pain in any form. It soon subdues the itching, irritation, inflammation or swelling. It gives comfort, invites joy. Greatest healer of burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises, eczema, scalds, pimples, skin eruptions. Only 25 cts at Osgood Bros.

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Youth's Brown and Blue Cheviot Suits \$15

Rough Cheviot Suits in the proper shades of navy blue and brown, made in full box back with and without seam and in two and three-button fronts. These suits are cut in the extreme of fashion and are designed specially for good dressers among high school and university students. There is more style and more real value in these particular suits than you have ever seen for the money.

Youths' Suits \$10, \$12.50 and \$15

Smart new college cut suits for young men from 15 to 21 years. Two and three-button styles in full box and regular backs with extreme cut trousers. These suits are specially well tailored and are full of style and character. On sale Monday at the above prices.

Boys' Russian and Sailor Suits \$2.95 and \$3.95

Attractive new styles in Russian and sailor suits for youngsters 2 1/2 to 10 years, made from medium weight wool fabrics in desirable colors and nicely trimmed. These prices, \$2.95 and \$3.95, are about a dollar less than you will have to pay for similar goods in other shops.

Good School Suits, \$3.65

Equal to Most \$5.00 Ones
All wool cheviot suits for boys from 6 to 16 years, made in double-breasted style with full peg knickerbockers and also in the Stanley Norfolk model. Nice new chevots in the Fall mixtures. These suits are built for rigorous service and will prove extremely satisfactory in the wear. On sale here, special Monday at **\$3.65**

Boys' Serge and Cheviot Suits \$4.65

Strictly all wool navy blue serge suits and fancy cheviot suits in browns, grays and tans, made in double-breasted style and in the Stanley Norfolk model as well. These in sizes from 6 to 17 years. Extra good materials extra good prices. On sale here, special Monday at **\$4.65**

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Exemplification of
Ritual.

The grand officers of the grand chapter, order of Eastern Star, paid an official annual visit recently to Athens Chapter No. 277. The occasion was one of much interest to the members of the Eastern Star on this side of the bay. The presence of the grand officers at the meeting of Athens Chapter brought out a large attendance of the members. The chapter room was beautifully decorated. Addresses were made by several of the grand officers. After the presentation of tokens of esteem to several of the visiting officials a banquet was held, at which were seated nearly four hundred.

Mrs. George A. Gutches, the worthy matron of Athens Chapter, presided, both at the services in the chapter hall and at the banquet table. The occasion was also marked by the excellent manner in which the work of the chapter was exemplified by the following officers: Georgia A. Gutches, worthy matron; Fred J. Whiting, worthy patron; Miriam A. Joseph, associate matron; Margaret Huft, conductress; Olga J. Jensen, associate conductress; Elma E. H. Page, secretary; Helen W. Roos, treasurer; Charles C. Young, chaplain; Mary W. Edwards, Adah; Minnie S. Weakley, Ruth; Rose C. McGinnis, Esther; Inez Weakley, Martha; Gladys T. Blanchard, Electa; Sylvia M. Wilcox, marshal; Mary E. Chestnut, warder.

The grand officers present were: Lena W. Stannard, worthy grand matron; John L. McNab, worthy grand patron; Addie L. Sleeper, associate grand matron; Geo. G. Vanderlip, associate grand patron; Kate J. Willats, grand secretary.

Other prominent members present were: Mary E. Partridge, past worthy grand matron; Ada Marsh Dalton, past worthy grand matron; Arthur H. Milberry, past associate grand patron; Lora Virginia Ream, past grand treasurer.

Visiting worthy matrons and patrons were:

Sister Franch and brother Dewell, California Chapter, sister Biehl and brother Davis, Starr King Chapter; sister Leonard, Beniah Chapter, sister Jarvis, Imperial Chapter; sister Attridge and brother Brown, West Gate Chapter; sister Bartow and brother Hammond, Curita Chapter; sister Towle and brother Bradhoff, Oakland Chapter; sister Raymon and brother Jones, Mission Chapter; sister Knight, Berkeley Chapter; sister Lowell, Marietta Chapter; sister Adams, Unity Chapter; sister Carl and brother Potter, Mary E. Partridge Chapter; Elizabeth Combs, district deputy grand matron.

Many members from all the chapters on this side of the bay were in attendance.

ENGLISH BRIDE MINUS STOCKINGS AND CORSET

CHICAGO, July 17.—Edmund Trowbridge Dana, grandson of Longfellow, and his English bride are resting in a health home on the south side. They say they have been fasting for a period. Fasting is one of their fads. Other fads of the bride are that a woman should wear a tunic and a pair of sandals. She should not wear a corset, a tight, binding dress or shoes, because they are unnecessary and unsanitary.

"I think English women are much healthier and much more athletic than the American women," said Mrs. Dana. "They think more, too. The average American woman is superficial—does you think so, dear?" She turned to her husband.

"Ah—yes, she is superficial," he confirmed. "The American women go to lectures, but they don't remember what they hear," she continued. "They eat too much candy and ice cream and eat too much flesh."

COULDN'T BE MARRIED TOO SOON FOR HIM

CENTRALIA, Ill., July 17.—Andrew Dykstra, an Illinois farmer, married Miss Pettie Bos on sight. The young woman was led to the altar in Justice Grant's parlor immediately after her arrival from Holland with a letter of introduction from Mr. Dykstra's aunt, who recommended her for his wife. An interpreter was necessary in the ceremony, as the bride could not speak or understand English. After the knot was tied, without any correspondence or courtship, Mr. Dykstra declared "my aunt is a good judge."

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C. Patterson.

Your morning bath can be made a delight by the use of Sulphur. It will refresh and invigorate you for the day's battles, whether they be in the office, the shop, or the links or in the home. Sulphur brings to you all the healing properties of sulphur springs, which thousands of people have reached.

Send for all the literature in "Sulphur" and "Sulphur Springs" to C. M. C. Stewart Sulphur Co., 71 Columbia St., Seattle.

OAKLAND GIRL VIOLINIST TO MAKE LONG TOUR



ESTELLE FRANKLIN GRAY, YOUNG OAKLAND VIOLINIST, WHOSE PLAYING FIRST ATTRACTED ATTENTION IN CALIFORNIA.

Miss Estelle Franklin Gray, the young Oakland violinist, has been engaged for a series of one hundred concerts by the Redpath Musical Bureau, beginning the latter part of September and extending from Oakland to New York.

Miss Gray won her first success in California, her home state, and her entire career has been watched with the utmost interest by her hosts of friends here.

After a busy summer in New York City Miss Gray is now en route to Oakland. She is traveling via the Canadian Pacific and making a good many stopovers to visit friends along the route.

WIFE SAYS SPOUSE WANTED TWO WIVES

Husband Desired Pretty Woman to Love Besides the Mother of Family.

ST. LOUIS, July 17.—Gustave A. Schaeffer, a commission man, who is suing to divorce Mrs. Lulu B. Schaeffer of 2729 West Pine boulevard, often expressed the opinion that a man should have two wives, one to go out with him and "look pretty," and the other to take care of the children and the home. Mrs. Schaeffer told a reporter in explaining her side of the causes that led to the family split.

Mrs. Schaeffer declared he put this theory into practice by leaving her at home with three children while he went out with other women, one of whom she knows as "Mary." The family differences resulting from this and other causes, she said, caused him to get a habit of threatening divorce proceedings on the slightest provocation. He often would take a suit case and walk out the front door, remarking that he never would be seen there again, only to come in at the back door a little while later, she said.

Schaeffer alleges that his wife was wasteful and extravagant, sold or gave away his clothes, bought furniture and sold it at a sacrifice, made him act as his own chambermaid, called him "Dutch idiot," permitted her mother and children to run things around the house till he virtually was nothing but a servant, and spoke to him in "short, snappy and cross sentences."

She was also possessed of "an irascible desire to move," he charges in his petition. One day in March, 1911, he alleges, she moved from 4666 Morgan street to 4133 Morgan street without telling him of her intention, which was returned from the office that evening, he says, the house he left in the morning was vacant and he had difficulty finding his home.

Mrs. Schaeffer did not know, until the reporter called at her home, that her husband had filed a petition.

"Come here, Imogene," she said, calling her 12-year-old daughter from an adjoining room. "Father is going to get a divorce again."

The girl with her sister, Anabel, 15, and brother, Sefton, 14, took the suit as a joke.

"The only thing we care about is being permitted to stay with mother," said one of the girls. "We do not care to go."

"My husband makes good money, but he wants to spend it on other women, rather than to maintain his home," said Mrs. Schaeffer. "His talk about being treated as a servant is absurd."

A few weeks ago I had an operation performed, and while I was still very ill, my husband began telling two of the boarders what an awful wife he had. Anabel heard him, and, for the first time, rebuked him. This made him so angry that he left the next day.

The Schaeffers were married March 2, 1892, and separated June 11, 1912, according to Schaeffer's petition. Schaeffer is connected with the Enterprise Commission Co., 313 Morgan street.

Schaeffer told a reporter he had been misquoted by Mrs. Schaeffer. He never did express a desire for more than one wife, he said.

"I did not compel her to take boarders," he declared. "She took them in to get money. She is a selfish, unfeeling woman. She has been a leading housewife."

CATERPILLARS STRIP TREES OF FOLIAGE

ROUTLAKE, Wash., July 17.—Thousands of acres of mountain laurel between Laurel postoffice and Dead Horse Meadows have been denuded of their leaves by black caterpillars. The area covers territory both east and west of Troutlake. Never in the history of the valley have caterpillars been so numerous. Last summer thousands of brown butterflies were seen swarming over the laurel district and last fall they were abundant, eating their way north, all at the same time. Where they went no one knew. The air was thick with the pest.

Another pest that has bothered the valley is the apple worm, which has been abundant in the apple orchards. The caterpillars have been seen eating the leaves of the apple trees.

200 DESCENDANTS ATTEND REUNION

DANVILLE, Ky., Aug. 17.—The second national biennial reunion of the Vandiver family is being held in Graham Springs near this city and is being attended by over 200 descendants of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vandiver. These were 65 years ago from Franklin county, Indiana, which was the largest number from any one county.

Peter Vandiver and his wife came to America from Holland in a early number of years. Their graves are now located in Graham Springs where the reunion is being held.

Mackay's

Will be practically a new store—a new building when the building contractors are through with it. While in the hands of the builders we are holding an

Alteration SALE

We hope the alterations will be completed in a week—by the first of September at the latest. And now for a final and positive clearance of all our present stock. 15 per cent is the smallest reduction offered; 25 per cent applies to the greater part, and 40 per cent on many of the finer pieces is offered as a special inducement.

15% to 40% Reductions

AND MOST GENEROUS TERMS OF CREDIT

We itemize a few of the reductions. They are merely representative—each one quoted here stands for a dozen, a score of similar reductions. Remember, not one piece of furniture in our big stock has escaped the blue pencil.

- | Bed Room Furniture | The Dining Room | For the Living Room |
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| Turn which way you will, you'll find an "Alteration Sale" reduced price ticket nodding at you. A few quotations here will show you how the entire stock is reduced. | One entire floor is devoted to dining-room furniture. We hope to see that floor practically empty by the end of the week. | Hundreds of fumed oak pieces—comfortable rockers, every kind of a table, bookcases, desks—irresistible at our alteration sale prices. |
| \$117 COLONIAL SUITE—Chiffonier, bed and dresser, in mahogany. Reduced to..... | \$12 EXTENSION TABLE—Fumed oak, 42-inch top, that extends to 8 feet; pedestal base. Reduced to..... | \$29 ROCKER—A great big luxurious rocker in fumed oak; automobile seat, in a fine quality of leather. Reduced to..... |
| \$96 | \$9.75 | \$19 |
| \$100 GOLDEN OAK SUITE—A beautiful Colonial suite, in rich quarter-sawn oak. Reduced to..... | \$20 EXTENSION TABLE—Fumed oak, 45-inch top, extends to 6 feet. Reduced to..... | \$28 ARMCHAIR—Matches the rocker above. Reduced to..... |
| \$86 | \$15 | \$18 |
| \$84 COLONIAL POSTER SUITE—Matched dresser and chiffonier. The two pieces reduced to..... | \$20 GOLDEN OAK TABLE—Pedestal base, with carved claw feet, 45-inch top, 6-foot extension. Reduced to..... | \$7.50 MAGAZINE STAND—Fumed oak, enclosed sides, with pockets for newspapers. Reduced to..... |
| \$68 | \$15 | \$6.25 |
| SATIN WALNUT SUITE—A Colonial pattern. | \$4.75 DINING CHAIRS—Fumed or golden oak, full box construction, leather seats. Reduced to..... | \$38 HALL CLOCK—A mission design in fumed oak, 6 feet in height. Reduced to..... |
| \$33 | \$3.95 | \$31 |
| \$38 Dresser..... | \$7 DINING CHAIRS—Fumed oak, massive mission lines, slip leather seats. Reduced to..... | \$180 DAVENPORT—Six feet long, leather back and leather cushioned spring seats, winged sides. Reduced to..... |
| \$32 | \$5.75 | \$85 |
| \$40 Bed..... | \$77 EXTENSION TABLE—A strikingly handsome one in fumed oak, 60-inch top, 10-foot extension. Reduced to..... | \$9.50 ROCKER OR ARMCHAIR—Fumed oak, leather cushioned seats. Reduced to..... |
| \$29.50 | \$65 | \$7 |
| \$35 Chiffonier..... | | \$8.00 TELEPHONE TABLE—A fumed oak table, just the right size, with a tabouret that fits beneath for a seat. Reduced to..... |
| \$25 WALNUT BED—Double size, built of rich-grained Circassian walnut. Reduced to..... | | \$6.50 |
| \$20 | | \$23.50 BOOKCASE—Fumed oak, tasteful mission design, 80-inches wide. Reduced to..... |
| \$36 DRESSER—In Circassian walnut, 42-inch top, 22x28 inch shaped mirror. Reduced to..... | | \$19 |
| \$23 | | |
| \$95 BEDROOM SUITE—In dainty birdseye maple; Chiffonier, bed and dresser. Reduced to..... | | |
| \$77 | | |
| \$30 DRESSER—In beautiful Circassian walnut. Reduced to..... | | |
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Library Tables

You'll find just the table you're looking for in our splendid assortment—and at prices we could not hope to offer under ordinary circumstances.

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| \$88 LIBRARY TABLE—Solid mahogany, claw feet, 28x44 inch top. Reduced to..... | \$26 |
| \$90 LIBRARY TABLE—Colonial design, in mahogany, 28x42 inch top. Reduced to..... | \$25 |
| \$24 LIBRARY TABLE—A massive one, in fumed oak, very heavy posts, wide drawer, top, 28x47 inches. Reduced to..... | \$19 |

Office Desks

Mackay's should control the desk trade of Oakland with the splendid line they always carry, and the fair prices they always ask.

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| \$21 FLAT-TOP DESK—Solid golden oak, single pedestal, 60-inch top. Reduced to..... | \$16 |
| \$30 ROLL-TOP DESK—Solid golden oak, 54 inches wide. Reduced to..... | \$24 |
| \$40 TYPEWRITER DESK—Polished quarter-sawn oak, enclosed back, disappearing typewriter. Reduced to..... | \$32 |
| \$52 SANITARY DESK—Quarter-sawn golden oak, 55-inch top; roll top. Reduced to..... | \$44 |
| \$58 ROLL-TOP DESK—Quarter-sawn golden oak, 60 inches wide, heavy roll, built-up writing bed. Reduced to..... | \$49 |
| \$60 MAHOGANY DESK—Solid mahogany, roll-top, 55 inches wide. Reduced to..... | \$70 |

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We extend credit gladly. An opportunity to buy GOOD furniture (Mackay quality) and pay for it in convenient amounts, weekly or monthly.

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AFRO-AMERICANS TO CONVENE HERE

Prominent Negroes of the State to Gather in Convention August 26.

The Afro-American Council of California will convene in this city August 26, 27 and 28. This organization is composed of the leading colored men in the state. Many prominent men and women from every section of the state will be in attendance. The local organization of Alameda county is making extensive preparations to entertain the visitors during their stay in the city. Mayor Frank K. Mott has been invited to welcome the visitors.

SERVICES AT THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

First Congregational Church, 12th and Clay streets, Rev. Herbert Atchison, pastor; Rev. Ray Frederic Carter, assistant pastor—11 a. m., sermon by Rev. E. M. Merriam, of Newburport, Mass.; subject, "Man's Opportunity"; 12:45 p. m., Sunday school; 6:15 p. m., young people's meeting in the chapel. Mr. Carter will give at this service an illustrated talk on missions in Turkey. 7:45 p. m., sermon by Mr. Merriam, subject, "Right Thinking."

BANK'S RESERVE IS \$20,552,000

Statement Shows Large Reserve in Excess of Legal Requirements.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing-house banks for the week shows that the banks hold \$20,552,000 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$266,200 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement follows:

DAILY AVERAGE.	
Loans, \$2,042,412,000; increase, \$2,841,000.	
Deposits, \$10,181,700; increase, \$2,841,000.	
Legal reserve, \$1,010,374,000; increase, \$3,770,000.	
Circulation, \$48,512,000; decrease, \$154,000.	
Bankers' cash reserve in vault, \$370,177,000.	
Trust companies' cash reserve in vault, \$73,062,000.	
Aggregate cash reserve, \$442,710,000.	
Excess lawful reserve, \$21,702,000; increase, \$229,100.	
Trust companies' reserve with clearing-house members carrying 25 per cent cash reserve, \$72,580,000.	
ACTUAL CONDITION.	
Loans, \$2,042,412,000; increase, \$1,255,000.	
Legal reserve, \$85,003,000; decrease, \$1,067,000.	
Deposits, \$1,010,374,000; increase, \$10,516,000.	
Circulation, \$48,512,000; decrease, \$154,000.	
Bankers' cash reserve in vault, \$370,177,000.	
Trust companies' cash reserve in vault, \$73,062,000.	
Aggregate cash reserve, \$442,710,000.	
Excess lawful reserve, \$21,702,000; decrease, \$229,100.	
Trust companies' reserve with clearing-house members carrying 25 per cent cash reserve, \$72,580,000.	
Summary of state banks and trust companies in Greater New York not included in clearing-house statement.	
Loans, \$800,218,200.	
Loans, \$800,218,200; decrease, \$611,000.	
Deposits, \$5,724,200; decrease, \$35,300.	
Legal reserve, \$4,038,000; decrease, \$55,800.	
Deposits, \$5,724,200; decrease, \$35,300.	

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Fishing Hunting Boating

Dotted with resorts of every size and classification. Seventy-mile trip around the beautiful lake. Season—10-day and week-end tickets now on sale. Ask any of our agents for descriptive booklet. Tahoe Sleeper leaves daily.

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NEW PARTY SCORED BY LA FOLLETTE

"First Insurgent" Declares That Roosevelt Is Not Man to Find Way Out.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—In a floor speech...

After reviewing the trust record of Colonel Roosevelt...

On the day that Theodore Roosevelt was made President...

"I don't believe that the man who was President at the time of all times in the history of the Sherman anti-trust law...

"I note the fact," he said, "that on the Republican side there are just four Senators present...

EDITORS TO CONFER WITH CANDIDATE

Governor Wilson Pleased With Plan for the Seagirt Gathering.

SEAGIRT, N. J., Aug. 17.—Democrat editors throughout the country...

New York next month. "I like the idea very much," said Governor Wilson...

The two visitors brought the governor a report by George M. Palmer...

Governor Wilson said he was much interested in reports from California...

H. C. CAPWELL CO. CLAY, FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS. H. C. CAPWELL CO.

A Word as to Our Plans for Fall and Winter

The conception of the new and greater Capwell's had a nobler purpose than the erection of a structure which would present only a perfect external appearance...

the store must be inseparably associated with the greatest accommodation and service to customers. That you may have the new things first, the greatest variety from which to select...

tain a large and spacious office in New York City all the year round with a representative in charge. We have direct foreign relations with all the important style centers.



Fall Coats and Suits More New Arrivals for 1912-1913

The Coats There came yesterday a choice lot of smart, new and inexpensive Coats in the rough mixtures and chinchilla.

The illustration shows one of these Coats with a stylish belted back; others have straight backs. Collars fasten up close to throat or may be turned down, giving side rever effect.

These come in brown, gray and navy Price \$17.50

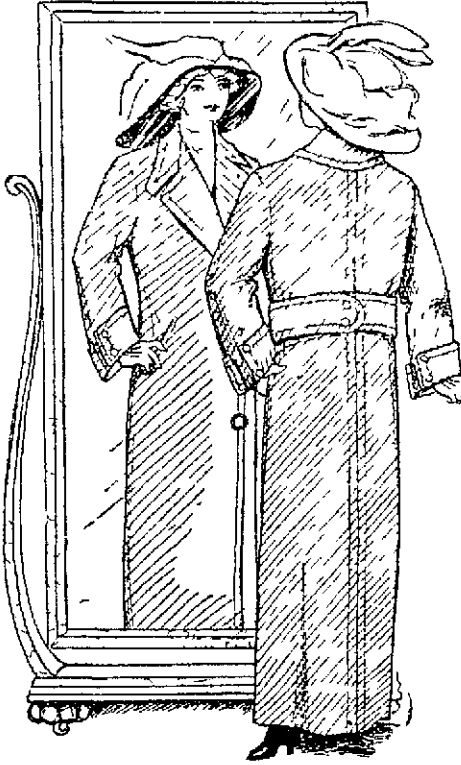
Other new Coats in three-quarter length and the sensible long garment for all around and general wear. An appealing variety of styles in fur-trimmed Coats.

Prices \$25 to \$60

Also Black Broadcloth Coats, Skinner Satin lined—\$25.00.

The Suits Never before have we had so large a showing of new suits so far in advance of the season.

Most effective suit styles for misses are being shown at \$20 and up.



A great number of Women's Suits are in the smart cutaway effects with silk braid-bound edges. Several models show the inserted plait with skirts longer than in past seasons. This style is illustrated.

Materials are black and navy serge, mixtures, diagonal weaves and new designs in men's suitings.

Prices \$25 to \$67.50

Black and Navy Suits in outsizes for large women. Bust measure to 53 inches. Price \$32.50.

New Ideas in Draperies, Curtains, Couch Covers

Owing to early orders our new fall stocks in this department are now complete.

We've Curtains in every style and kind from plain scrim to real lace magnificence. We've Draperies of soft tints and deep, glowing shades of plain tones and figured stuffs that match the wall paper or tint or that deepen the dominant color note.

SCRIM CURTAINS—Hand-drawn with Cluny or Fillet Insertion. Priced from \$1.45 to \$10.00 pair.

NOTTINGHAM CURTAINS—In white, ecru and Arabian. Dozens of patterns. Prices—50c to \$6.50 pair.

LACET ARABIAN CURTAINS—In ecru. Handsome for living room or library.

SUNFAST DRAPERIES—A complete assortment in all the new shades 50 inches wide. Pretty draped over other curtains or very effective used alone. Price, yard—\$1.00.

TAPESTRY—In foliage designs for furniture covering. Very effective. Prices begin at \$1.25 yard.

PRINTED SCRIMS—For drapery in many pretty patterns. Widths 36 and 40 inches. Prices—10c to 20c yard.

We have recently enlarged our workroom facilities and are now prepared to execute drapery work of all kinds. A telephone message to our drapery department will bring you a competent decorator to give you ideas and advice.

New Fall Rugs Are Here

Whether you are furnishing up the old home or furnishing a new one, the Rugs you want are to be found among our new Fall patterns which are the most attractive to be found anywhere.

Four Special Offerings \$ 5.00 Axminster Rugs, size 36x72 inches reduced to \$ 3.75

\$15.00 Axminster Rugs, size 6x9 feet reduced to \$12.50

\$22.50 Axminster Rugs, size 8x10:6 reduced to \$18.50

\$27.00 Axminster Rugs, size 9x12 feet reduced to \$20.00

Babies' Go-Carts, All Kinds

The illustration shows the "Junior Tourist," a one-motion full collapsible Go-cart, with tubular frame, adjustable front and three position reclining back. Four coil springs beneath the seat give ease and comfort. Heavy rubber tires, hub caps and a four-horn hand of best quality leatherette make this a fine appearing cart and splendid value. Price—\$5.00.

ORIOLE GO-BASKET—The lightest and most convenient baby vehicle made. Can be lifted without removing child. Prices—\$8.50, \$10.50, \$12.50.



Exhibition of Klos-fit Petticoats

Begins Tomorrow (Monday, Aug. 19) (Main Floor)

Special Demonstrator in Charge

Come and see the greatest Petticoat of the age.

The kind women have been wanting for years. Petticoats that are made to fit smoothly over the hips—no straps, no adjustments—no strings to make the dress wrinkle. Perfect smoothness is obtained in these garments in so simple a manner as to cause wonderment that petticoat makers didn't think of it years ago.

Made of carefully selected and long service messaline and chiffon taffeta silks and cotton materials.

Two styles in messaline silk. Deep plaited flounces with silk dust ruffle—\$5.50.

One style in chiffon taffeta—\$5.50.

One style in jersey top—\$5.50.

Two styles in black sateen—\$1.75 and \$2.25.

One style in black cotton taffeta—\$1.25.

Colors in silks are emerald, navy, brown, Copenhagen, gray, American Beauty, golf, king's blue, white, amethyst, black and exquisite changeable effects.

Most Pleasing Autumn Beauty in New Dress Goods

Our Dress Goods Section presents a fascinating array of the new dress fabrics. Every weave, every color or combination of colors which Dame Fashion has ordained shall be worn this season is on our shelves for your choosing. Here's but a suggestion of the new fabrics ready for your inspection tomorrow:

WOOL BEDFORDS—One of the new novelties in gray, navy and brown. 54 inches wide. Price, yard \$1.75

NEW DIAGONAL TWEEDES—Wide wide effects, in new color combinations and mixtures, also solid colors. 54 inches wide. Prices, yard and \$2.50 \$2.00

NEW BOULE SUITINGS—A new novelty for Fall suits in a twilled weave with boucle effect. Colors, gray, brown, navy and green. 54 inches wide. Price, yard \$2.25

COATINGS—Our stock of Coatings is particularly noteworthy in its completeness. Exclusiveness of patterns and prices. It embraces all the new Mackinaw Coatings in plaids, checks and stripes, English Mixtures, heavy corded Diagonals, Zibelines and chinchilla patterns. Per yard \$1 to \$4.50

August Sale of New Buttons Laces

Specially Purchased for Your Savings

TORCHON LACES—5000 yards in linen and cotton cluny effects. Scores of pretty patterns, both heavy and fine. Half an inch to four inches wide. Sale price, yard 5c

Also 3000 yards of Normandy, Valenciennes and Point de Paris Laces in choice patterns. Widths 2 to 5 inches. Regular value to 25c yard. Sale price, yard 12 1/2 c

Not a woman who reads the fashion magazines but knows by this time that Buttons are to be the vogue for trimming. And such delightful, wholly fascinating Buttons the manufacturers have made to meet the demand! Never were they prettier, more distinct or novel, and never was the Capwell showing more complete. Suggestive are—

LARGE COAT BUTTONS in all colors to furnish trimming for the season's heavy coats

FANCY CRYSTAL BUTTONS—New shapes in all sizes and a complete line of colors

COMBINATION OF JET AND CRYSTAL—Very smart for dressy gowns

BLACKS AND COLORED CROCHET BUTTONS—Popular favorites also among the assortment

Sample Line of Bedspreads

Arrive in Time to Join the August Bedding Sale at One-Fourth Reduction

A timely arrival indeed since it adds to your saving opportunities during this big August Bedding Sale.

The best line of a leading manufacturer to be sold.

One-Fourth Less Than Regular Prices

Only one of a kind, some slightly soiled from handling. All of high quality; satin Marseilles, hemmed, fringed or scalloped; also a number of sets of fine satin Marseilles Spreads scalloped with cut corners and bolster covers to match.

\$3.00 Bedspreads reduced to \$2.25 \$4.50 Bedspreads reduced to \$3.35

\$3.50 Bedspreads reduced to \$2.60 \$5.00 Bedspreads reduced to \$3.75

\$4.00 Bedspreads reduced to \$3.00 \$6.00 Bedspreads reduced to \$4.50

Quilted Mattress Pads Reduced

Another noteworthy addition to the August Bedding. Best quality heavy, quilted pads, covered with soft white cloth and filled with pure cotton.

Size 36x76, on sale at \$1.35 Size 54x72, on sale at \$1.95

Size 42x76, on sale at \$1.59 Size 60x76, on sale at \$2.19

Sheets and Pillow Cases—August Sale

Seamless Sheets made of good quality sheeting free from dressing:

Size 54x9042c | Size 72x9053c | Size 81x9969c

Size 63x9048c | Size 81x9057c | Size 90x9979c

PILLOW CASES of same material. Size 45x36, 14c.

PACIFIC SHEETS—The best wearing sheets made. Of soft finished heavy sheeting, double warped and perfectly finished.

All Sizes at August Sale Prices

Plain hemmed65c to \$1.00 Hemstitched75c to \$1.15

PILLOW CASES—Plain hemmed, 20c to 27c; hemstitched, 22c to 32c.

New Autumn Millinery

The minute you're tired of the old Summer Hat, Come to Capwell's

for a new one. See the new fall shapes in such superior makes as Burgess—Atchison—Fisk—Gage

and dozens of smartly trimmed hats from our own workrooms—copies of New York and Paris pattern hats—at half the price.

Visit our Millinery Section. You'll be surprised at the showing made.

\$7 to \$10 Chiffon and Silk Waists \$4.95

One hundred and twenty-five chiffon and silk Waists have undergone another price-cut for immediate clearance.

Handsome dressy Waists in solid and changeable colorings and stripes. Trimmings of shawd and macramé lace, crystal buttons, braids etc. A rare chance for the woman who wants to add another "best" waist to her wardrobe. Former values \$7 to \$10. Sale price—\$4.95.

H.C. Capwell Co. THE LACE HOUSE Clay, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Streets, Oakland.

TRADE SITUATION IMPROVED, REPORT

Continuance of Activity in Iron and Steel Generally Predicted.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—National Chamber of Commerce...

Further advance in activity is noted in the reports from leading centers. Everything points to a continuance of the present activity in iron and steel and the advancing trend of quotations promises increased profits to the producer.

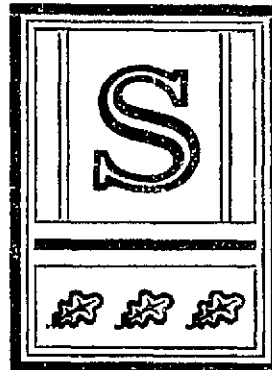
Basic iron is strong at \$14 values, while Bessemer makes at \$13.50 and \$14.25 values. Crucible steel is becoming scarce and merchant pig iron prices practically have contracted all the output for the third quarter.

GRATIFYING CONDITIONS NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Broadstreet's to day said...

are giving excellent yields. Other grains that have been harvested have done equally well and fodder crops are larger than was anticipated.

MAURETANIA'S MEN ARE BEST ROWERS NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—A long standing dispute among the sailors and officers of the big ocean liner Mauretania...

Captain Payson PROVED TO BE A TRUE PROPHET



SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Her husband made his fortune on this coast, and, all credit to him, had his rise from a clerkship. Finally he wormed himself into the charmed social circle like all the rest of the elect have done at one time or another. He has been busy many years looking after his money and is making more whenever and wherever he can, because, to tell the truth, like most of his class, he does not know what genuine leisure is and does not care so long as he can increase his "pile." Not so the wife. She has spent much time in the East and Europe during the past ten years, entertaining extensively. She would not be back in San Francisco now were it not for the threat of the husband to cut off her liberal allowance and raise a domestic row if she did not spend a little more of her time hereabouts.

And so Mrs. ——— is back from her long absence bringing an invidious comparison between the American and European man. She was a guest at a tea yesterday especially arranged by her hostess so that she could meet some of her old society friends. She caused a flutter of excitement and some strong remonstrance among them by insisting, among other things:

"The Europeans are far ahead of our American men in breeding and bearing. You have only to go into Washington society to see that. Of course, occasionally you meet an accomplished and clever American in society, but not often. When I am abroad I find society so much more congenial. Across the water brains and talent and cleverness are always recognized, and are passports into the most select society. But here in this country everything hinges on the amount of money you have in your purse. San Francisco is no exception to the rule, I am sorry to say."

She also shocked most of them by declaring that the suffragists represent the best and brainiest women of the United States, particularly the suffragists of the Middle West.

Confidence in Henry T. Scott

In giving a full power of attorney to Henry T. Scott to handle all of her large property interests while she goes to New York to make her permanent home, Mrs. Malcolm D. Whitman, nee Crocker, pays a deserved tribute to a man who, with Charles E. Green, made her fortune and that of her brother, Templeton, what it is today. Scott and Green were the executors of the estate of her father, Colonel C. Fred Crocker. He relied upon their business ability and honor to husband the property he left in equal shares to his three children. The eldest, Mary, who was the first wife of Congressman Burton Harrison of New York, is dead. Scott and Green handled her interests as zealously as the other two and her two children are the heirs of her share of the estate. Scott and Green made many wise investments for the children and as the city grew these investments greatly augmented the fortune of each child. When each became of age, they had more than twice as much wealth as was originally left them. After the executorship ceased, Scott continued as Mrs. Whitman's and Templeton Crocker's business agent because neither of them desired to be bothered with such matters. In his own affairs, Scott has always been a success, and he has always taken much pride in handling the Crocker fortunes. It is one of his pardonable boasts that he has done well with them. His other boast is closer to his heart and relates to his role as the builder of the historic battleship Oregon along with his late brother, Irving M. Scott. He still likes to refer to the statement of Mark Hanna in 1900, who, when asked how Irving M. Scott would suit him as a running mate for President McKinley, replied:

"The builder of the Oregon is good enough for me."

Only \$30,000 Spent on Dogs

All the recent talk of a special car in which to convey to New York the high-class dogs of Mrs. Malcolm D. Whitman had no basis in fact. Nor is it true that the kennels she has maintained for years on her San Mateo country place represented an investment of \$100,000. It is nearer the truth to say that Mrs. Whitman has spent about \$30,000 as a dog fancier. During the past few months she has sold quite a number of dogs. She has decided to take ten or twelve of her best Boston terriers and French bulls to New York. They are to be shipped by express in the usual way with an attendant, who will probably be her old-time kennel manager, Jack Cawkwell. Taking along the pick of her kennel, the young lady hopes, as she has done here repeatedly in past years, to have entries in the Eastern fashionable dog shows and win prizes. No doubt the competition along these lines will be found keener there than here. If her best dogs do not show enough class in the East, she will be forced to get a better kennel if she is anxious to continue in the game as a pastime. The Chinese chow and the Japanese sleeve dogs are very much prized in eastern society these days. Mrs. Whitman's fancy has never turned to them. She has several of the Boston terrier and French bull variety that should make a spirited competition for the first prizes anywhere.

A dollar tip the other day embraces a tale of a Palace bellhop's quick eye to seize an opportunity

and the generous appreciation of the Comtesse Louise de Ferre, the French titled lady who has a country estate, near Petaluma, about which she has written poetry soon to be published and one verse of which runs:

"O soft-hued hills of Sonoma—
Desolate, brown and chill—
As I ride in the valley 'neath you
Speak to me as you will.
The sight of your rounded beauty
Tunes my heart into peaceful calm,
And the majesty of your silence
Soothes my soul like an evening psalm."

Dollar Tip for Unused Chair

The comtesse's automobile was a few minutes late in meeting her at the New Montgomery street entrance of the hotel. She had walked out from the palm court expecting it to be there to whisk her away to the ferry and then on home. One of the "live wire" bellboys spied her standing on the sidewalk with her son and his chum and no auto in sight. Taking in the situation at a quick glance, he rushed for a chair and was offering it to her with a Chesterfieldian bow within the space of sixty seconds. Just as she was giving him a pleasant "thanks" for the seat and was about occupying it, her machine drove up. She quickly sought her purse, called the boy as he started to go back and handed him a dollar with a most gracious smile. Did Mr. Bellboy purposely linger about? The episode was so quick in its beginning and ending that the lingering, if any, was not noticeable. And now it can be stated positively and without the least equivocation that a lot of bellhops are waiting to grab chairs to offer her when the comtesse returns to the caravansary again on one of her frequent visits as a guest.

Bispham Jilts Lady Nicotine

David Bispham, the drum major of all American singers, who took the leading role in Joseph D. Redding and Henry Hadley's Bohemian jinks play last Saturday, had the leading part in the jinks play of two years ago, when William J. McCoy and Charles Field collaborated on "The Cave Man." Bispham is now 55 years of age and a noted baritone. Recently he told some friends that a singer is no older than his last song. "While I am no slave to my throat, I deny myself," he remarked, "the luxury of a cigar, because when I smoke, I smoke too much, and that is bad. If I had been a moderate smoker I never would have quit, but being an immoderate lover of My Lady Nicotine I divorced her entirely seventeen years ago. I still love her though. I used to scandalize the Grau opera singers by riding to and fro from the opera house on my bicycle. I eat just before I sing, and I never cuddle my throat, nor worry about it nor kill it with kindness."

\$30,000 Rent for Vacant Lot

The sale by Richard Burke of Ireland and his four children of their large interest in the old Occidental Hotel site on Montgomery street is one of the most important real estate deals in town since the fire. Here are the correct facts of the transaction. The Burkes owned the 150 feet of the site towards Bush street. The Donohoes of the Donohoe Kelly Bank own the 120 feet on the Sutter street side. This division was made after the fire when the two sets of owners failed to agree about rebuilding the Occidental Hotel. The Burkes took the larger frontage because they accepted the Bush street side. Yet on that side the lot has the greatest depth. Charles Sweeney, the Seattle millionaire, the purchaser, took a lease on the property for fifty years at \$30,000 per year, with an option to purchase any time after six months for \$700,000. This is at the rate of about \$4666 per front foot. Sweeney will soon close the option and erect a thirteen-story office building at a cost of \$800,000. Owing to certain legal questions, his lawyers decided he could only get a perfect title by the lease arrangement, with a subsequent option to buy at the \$700,000 figure. That explains the nature of the transaction.

Burke and his children inherited the property through their late mother, who was a Donahoe. Her father was a brother of Peter Donahoe. Both were successful iron manufacturers and railroad men in California thirty and more years ago. One of the Burke children, William, lives here. He married Genevieve Walker, a protegee of Mrs. Eleanor Martin. One of his sisters recently married in Ireland Captain Arthur Newlands of the Royal Field Artillery.

This deal, of course, ends forever any hope of reviving the Occidental Hotel, one of the most famous caravansaries in the country in its time, especially as a hostelry for army and navy people and missionaries. Other places have gobbled this patronage long ago. Under the late Major Hooper and then under his nephew, George Hooper, the Occidental was a good income payer in spite of the opposition of the Palace and St. Francis.

No Change in 5 Feet of Books

While he was in the city a few days ago en route home from Japan, Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard, told some friends at the University Club in response to a question that he had no changes to suggest in his now famous "five-foot shelf of books" he put forth several years ago with the statement that those books "will give any man the essentials of a liberal education if perused at the rate of only fifteen minutes a day."

Numbers of learned men have at different times named what in their opinions were the best 100 or best 150 books. Men equally as learned have disagreed with them in a dozen or more particulars.

Dr. Eliot has met with the same criticisms in his unique way of gathering in a small space the best of literature. The general public has its tastes, too, and has radically differed from the Eliot selection and all other men who have made designations as to the quintessence of the world's best writings. A couple of the overland railroads a year and a half ago installed in the libraries of their limited trains the Eliot five-foot shelf of books. One of the companies found that in four months only thirty-five passengers called for books from this selection. Another company found that in five months but 70 passengers availed themselves of any of the books. On the same trains at the same time there was a strong demand for the "latest best seller" and for novels like "Ivanhoe," "Captain Courageous," "Treasurer Island," "The Pilot," "The Vicar of Wakefield" and also Shakespeare's plays.

When the traveler inclined to read would be shown the Eliot literary recommendations by the car attendant, he generally remarked:

"Oh, pshaw! Haven't you got something full of vim and vigor? I don't want that heavy stuff. Give me something that will make the blood circulate and yank the cobwebs out of the attic"—all of which indicates only one viewpoint of a most interesting subject.

Captain Payson Is Prophet

The city authorities have finally made up their minds to offer Spring Valley for its entire water plant \$38,500,000, and the chances are the Bourn syndicate in control of the property will accept the financial proposition. Whether the people will, by a two-thirds vote, ratify the bargain is another question. During Mayor McCarthy's administration an offer to buy at \$35,000,000 failed to get the necessary two-thirds vote, although there was a healthy majority in favor of it. McCarthy and the unions defeated the bargain. About four years ago when Captain A. F. Payson was president of Spring Valley he made two propositions to the city. One was to sell for \$28,000,000, Spring Valley to retain for real estate exploitation its outside lands, valued at \$4,000,000. His other offer was for the city to take everything for \$32,000,000. James D. Phelan and others then in the saddle ridiculed his two offers. Even at a banquet of the dignified Unitarian Club at the Fairmont hotel, where Captain Payson had been invited to speak of his propositions, considerable opposition was voiced.

"One thing is certain," was the final reply of Payson. "You can never get the property cheaper. The longer you delay the matter the price will necessarily advance as land values go up and the company spends additional money for extensions and improvements."

Payson appears to have been a true prophet without honor in his own community. But how and when this matter is to be settled is still a puzzle.

Believes Curator Saw Ghost

"So Curator George H. Barron of Golden Gate Park Memorial Museum saw a phantom woman on a black charger in the park at midnight last Friday," remarked one of the city's elderly and successful brokers last Wednesday.

"See my head of gray hair. Well, it turned gray over night thirty-three years ago when I saw a spook. I don't know Mr. Barron, but in view of my own experience I believe him."

"How did I see a phantom creature?"

"Let me give you the details without involving me in any newspaper notoriety by mentioning my name. Years ago I was a fireman on a freight train on the Louisville and Nashville's division between Evansville, Ind., and St. Louis. Westbound one night for St. Louis the train arrived at Mt. Vernon, Ind. There was a riot in the town between the whites and blacks because a negro had killed the sheriff when the latter was breaking into the darkey's house to arrest his son, a worthless fellow. The first I and the rest of the train crew knew of the riot was when the white mob came toward the station with the negro. The mob drove us away from the locomotive and then threw the negro into the firebox, where there was a blazing fire. He met a horrible death in a few moments. Although 300 yards and more away, we could hear the man's awful screams as he was being shoved into the firebox door by the men turned demons. The riot lasted all the next day and it was 2 o'clock the next night before we got orders to proceed to St. Louis. Neither the engineer nor myself felt like going back on that engine. But the leaders of the mob commanded us to get up steam and depart. I saw a charred bone or two in the firebox as I started the fire."

"I got both physically and mentally sick."

"After we pulled out and I had to open the door frequently to throw more coal on the fire, I could see that poor negro's form writhing in agony in the flames. I fell in a faint. I was relieved at the next station. On being put to bed, my associates told me my hair was gray. Giving me a mirror, I saw their story was only too true. The horror at what I had seen of the phantom in the firebox and turned my brown hair white within a few hours. I was sick in the hospital over a month and never went back to my old job. I came West after that. Friends wrote me later on that a hoodoo ever afterwards attached to that locomotive and finally a bad wreck made scrap iron of it."

Charge of the Onion Brigade

Army men here are watching the action of the Senate closely to see if it will confirm President Taft's appointment of Brigadier-General W. W. Wotherspoon to be a major-general in succession to the late General Fred Grant. They say there is op-

position to having Wotherspoon jump over three brigadiers of longer service, including General Funston and General Bliss. Funston has a command at present in the Philippines. Bliss was transferred from this department to the East about a year ago. As temporary commander of the Eastern division of the army, he is just at present the chief umpire in the big war game this month involving 20,000 men in an attack on and defense of New York City. These maneuvers are the largest ever undertaken in the United States.

At the Army and Navy Club, where Bliss was very popular while here, one of the participants in the Spanish-American war tells of an episode in Porto Rico, while that unpleasantness was on, in which Bliss took a leading part. Bliss was in command of a small detachment near a good-sized village where there was a large force of Spaniards. He was ordered to fall back if the Spaniards made an advance and to fall back farther if necessary to avoid an engagement.

"Bliss," continued his club friend, "received the orders in military silence. The next day his superior made a reconnaissance in force, in order to discover the whereabouts of the enemy. Bliss was not where he had been left. There were no signs that he had fallen back. After advancing with great trepidation, his superior finally discovered Bliss sitting in front of the hut of the mayor of the large village which had been held by the enemy. From every hut came sounds of dishes and smacking lips."

"By all the shades of hades what does this mean?" yelled the commanding officer. "I told you not to attack but fall back."

"Couldn't help it," replied Bliss calmly as he sat on a log. "My men have been hungry for a week—and some squaw up here got to frying onions. You know you can't hold a white man when he smells frying onions."

"Where are those flap-eared hoodlums of yours now?" roared the superior in command.

"In those huts," said Bliss, "frying more onions."

Search for Opium Queen

In all the big opium smuggling transactions at this port during the past four years, the Federal sleuths for some reason or other best known to themselves have been looking for a "real opium queen," some woman, who, because of her beauty, or her position, or her family or other connections, would cause a big sensation when finally run to earth. In all their sleuthing in this direction they have only been able to catch two "queens," and in the language of slang they cut but little ice in the royal role. Last Sunday they caught Ah Moy, a Chinese woman of San Jose. She is the wife of a Chinese merchant of that city and was found to have some tins of opium in a suit-case she was carrying. Two years ago the Treasury special agents arrested a woman named Lizzie Hall, who lived at the Hotel Plaza here. She was found to have opium in a suit-case. Lizzie, as an opium queen, did not pan out big, both because of her antecedents and the smallness of her alleged smuggling operations. Following her arrest, at different intervals and until quite recently, special Treasury agents kept a close watch on the movements of two women who occasionally registered at the Palace hotel. The reason for this move was never disclosed because no arrests were ever made. It was quietly said, however, that one of these Palace guests would turn out to be the genuine, blown-in-the-bottle opium queen. Both women were finally followed to the City of Mexico. They were found to be wives of prosperous race-track men who had never seen opium and never wanted to.

Recalls Days of Boss Buckley

"Jake" Rudolph's efforts to get out of the insane asylum recall the days when he was a henchman of and gun-fighter for Buckley in the heyday of his political power and when the famous Little Pete of Chinatown thought his authority was so great that he gave him the name among the Chinese of the "Blind White Devil."

Rudolph, Jerry Driscoll and "Colonel" Jim Cochran were the trio that camped with Buckley at all times save during his sleeping hours. It was they who were responsible for the legend that Boss Buckley could always call a man by name the second time he talked with him. One or the other being with him all the time and knowing practically everybody in town, they would whisper the name of the man about to meet the boss on the street or in saloons or elsewhere as they approached. The scheme worked very successfully for years. It must be said, however, that Buckley did have a retentive memory and by frequent association with a lot of men could call them by name from the sound of their voices. There was no mysterious element in that, however. The trio made a good living while with the boss. Cochran died poor and Rudolph has not had anything for years. Driscoll made money on the Eastern race-tracks when Buckley fled from the State, following the Wallace-Scott grand jury, and he had to skip, too. Driscoll is living in town now, with his money invested in improved and income-producing property. Some of the men that Rudolph wanted to kill are still very much alive.

Mrs. Huntington to Visit West

Mrs. Arabella Huntington, the widow of C. P. Huntington, who is to visit the R. P. Schwerins, Clinton E. Wordens and other old friends. Is a woman of much force of character, liberal in her support of science and art, inclined to much unostentatious charity and an art connoisseur of no mean ability. Mrs. Huntington was the second wife of the famous magnate, his first wife, the sister of Mrs. Prentice of Sacramento, having died. Her son by her first marriage, Archer Huntington, was

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ATONEMENT OF PAN"

THE KNAVE.

BENEFIT OF RAILROAD

The opening of the coal mines would mean much to Cordova, the ocean terminal of the Copper River railroad. The railroad has reserved a site for smelter and mill, and the opening of Cordova should the railroad carry out its purpose a great impetus would be given to all kinds of business in Cordova. The town is remarkably situated. At the foot of a mountain is a beautiful bay of water named Lake Tazewell. The lake is filled with various kinds of fish. To the south are high snow-capped mountains magnificent in form. On the north is a fine harbor and the town is situated on a hill overlooking the harbor. The kind of consideration he has given the miners, while we have changed to meet them, and our sincere wish is that the government pass such legislation as prompt to the miners some satisfaction. As a result of the miners' support for us in the great times when people suffer in the future a tremendous step has been taken in the direction of the future of the miners.

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HAVE YOU ANY OF THESE THINGS?

What It Means If You "See
Things" of Various
Sorts.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 17.—Dusion, de-
lusion hallucination—which have you, if
any?

By the answer to this question the doc-
tors determine, according to the legal
standards whether a person is insane
or not.

For instance, Over in the corner of
the room you think you see a pillow. It
is not there when you look before.
And as you go to look at it, to see where
it could have come from, it turns out
to be a combination of a fold in the car-
pet, a fall of the lace curtain and the
shadows of the approaching evening.
There was no pillow there. But it did
look like it to your eye at that time.
That is an illusion. It does not mean
that you are insane if you have that ex-
perience. Your mechanical apparatus for
seeing was deceived. You are all right.

WHAT A DELUSION IS
But now look again at the real pillow
in the other corner. Do you see the legs
under the thing—the horns sprouting
from the head the waving tail—and, oh,
horror! the teeth that gleam and the
eyes that flash. It is a wild beast
crouching in the corner, and waiting to
spring!

And when your wife brings the pillow
to your hand, you wince, and in a
flash and terror, and an agony of horror
comes over you.

Well, that is a delusion. That's dif-
ferent. It may be delirium tremens.
It may be something worse and more
permanent. And it's bad.
Your eyes may be all right, but the
inner works, through which the eyes
bring communications to you, are get-
ting tangled.

MAY BE AN IDEA.
Then again it may not be either
of these. It is only an idea that pos-
sesses your mind. No one else can see
it. No one else sees it but you. And
always it is there—that pillow. It floats
in the air, or its drags on the ground.
Sometimes it comes flying at you through
the air. Sometimes there is someone
behind it. Sometimes it almost speaks to
you. The reason that you cannot sleep
is because the pillow gets on your face
and half strangles you. You reach out
and try to put it under your head, and
your hand goes right through it. Some-
times, when you hear music it seems
to fade away and disappear. Or when
persons come in to see you, it is gone
for a moment. But it always comes back.
You know what is going to happen, some-
times it will force itself upon you, smooth-
ing your mouth and nose and eyes, and all
your strength may be able to drag it
away. And that will be the end. No-
body will know how it happened, for
no one else can see the pillow. And when
you try to tell them they agree with you,
softly and gently, and as though they
were humoring you. But you know they
do not see it and that they do not be-
lieve you.

THINGS GET TWISTED.
That is a hallucination. Your mind
is creating images and mingling them
with the things your eyes report. You
cannot separate the two, and the pil-
low—or whatever it is—is real to your
mind, though it is not real to your eyes
nor anyone's eyes.

That is real insanity or one kind.
If a man is deprived, has no sense of
moral or social obligations or decency
that does not mean that he is insane.
He is simply different or lacking in his
development.

Dementia, that means that one has
lost mind and lost it. And mind the
doctors say, is the function of the brain,
and includes memory, will and reason.

**POLICE PENSION FUND
IS TAPPED FOR \$5000**

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—The
widows and Orphans' Association of
the local police department paid out
\$500 in benefits today, being the
largest sum expended by that organi-
zation at one time. The money was
given to the relatives of five police-
men who are number during the
past month. Three of the men had
been killed in the line of duty, and
the money was paid to each of their
families.

It was the opinion of Mrs. Frank-
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"hoop skirt" and that it was
"a disgrace to the name of skirt."

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 17.—Father Timothy
Dempsy, noted dispenser of real charity,
thinks if the club women of the city
want to remedy the light skirt evil,
they should look to their own dress.
"Charity begins at home," they say.
"If they want to stop the wearing of
light skirts, they should first stop
wearing them themselves. The light
skirt is a disgrace to the name of skirt,
and it is demoralizing to society, espe-
cially the younger male portion of it."

How about the residents of your
working girls' hotel, Father
Dempsy was asked, "do they wear
light skirts? They do not, praise be!"
The priest replied, "They have better sense."

Mrs. George Bergfeld, 6771 Cabanne
avenue, president of the Twentieth Cen-
tury Art club of St. Louis, said she
would find it difficult to handle the skirt
problem officially.

"The problem must be handled in the
home," declared Mrs. Bergfeld. "Any
style that is extreme is a great pity, and
it is to be regretted that many beautiful
young girls look as they do in the so-
called fashionable skirt. If the mothers
could be brought to that state of mind
and feeling of public sentiment might help.
But this is a free country and I don't
quite see how any organization or set
could undertake to say what a woman
shall and shall not wear."

Many fine girls wear these skirts be-
cause they want to be up to date, and
many of them should be ashamed of
themselves. Why a young girl wants to
disfigure herself in the name of fashion,
I cannot understand. Of course, women
who are coarse by nature will be coarse
in their dress, but many lovely girls are
slaves to so-called fashion.

"It is a great pity that our young
men must look upon girls who are dis-
figured by the light skirt. The young
men can do a great deal to help, if they
wish to. A word from them would go a
long way in many cases. I know that
many young men who call to take girls
to the theater or to dances would feel
much more comfortable were they not
dressed so extremely."

Mrs. Thomas E. Ferguson, leader of
the light skirt thing, said she did not
believe the light skirt is bad because it
is extreme.

"The hoop skirt is as demoralizing as
the light skirt," she declared. "I have
attention to the wearer," said Mrs. Fer-
guson. "A great many women dress
rather to attract notice than for comfort
or beauty. I haven't noticed the light
skirt much. Those I have seen were
worn by girls I would hesitate to call
girls. I think the fact will wear out
when women find a light skirt no longer
is novel."

Samuel Williams, an officer of the
Twentieth Century Art club, is of the
opinion that the short, light skirt of
today is not so much a disgrace as the
hoop skirt. "Anything that tends to de-
stroy that is demoralizing and the light
skirt can be said to be a disgrace," he
said. "There is nothing elevating in it."

SKIRTS DISCUSSED BY NOTED DIVINES

St. Louis Preachers and Club
Leaders Give Opinions on
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themselves. Why a young girl wants to
disfigure herself in the name of fashion,
I cannot understand. Of course, women
who are coarse by nature will be coarse
in their dress, but many lovely girls are
slaves to so-called fashion.

"It is a great pity that our young
men must look upon girls who are dis-
figured by the light skirt. The young
men can do a great deal to help, if they
wish to. A word from them would go a
long way in many cases. I know that
many young men who call to take girls
to the theater or to dances would feel
much more comfortable were they not
dressed so extremely."

Mrs. Thomas E. Ferguson, leader of
the light skirt thing, said she did not
believe the light skirt is bad because it
is extreme.

"The hoop skirt is as demoralizing as
the light skirt," she declared. "I have
attention to the wearer," said Mrs. Fer-
guson. "A great many women dress
rather to attract notice than for comfort
or beauty. I haven't noticed the light
skirt much. Those I have seen were
worn by girls I would hesitate to call
girls. I think the fact will wear out
when women find a light skirt no longer
is novel."

Samuel Williams, an officer of the
Twentieth Century Art club, is of the
opinion that the short, light skirt of
today is not so much a disgrace as the
hoop skirt. "Anything that tends to de-
stroy that is demoralizing and the light
skirt can be said to be a disgrace," he
said. "There is nothing elevating in it."

Rev. Dr. James W. Lee, pastor of St.
John's M. E. church, approves the action
being taken by the club women.
"I think they are on the right track,
and hope to see them succeed," said Dr.
Lee.

Mrs. J. V. Chalk, an officer and mem-
ber of several women's clubs attributes
the light skirt evil to women's inherent
desire to carry any fad or fashion to an
extreme.

"I think from the looks of things on
the street," said Mrs. Chalk, "that the
light skirt is a demoralizing institution—
adopt anything, especially, of fashion—
they often carry it too far. The light
skirt is a shining example of this ten-
dency."

The crusade against light skirts began
in the Missouri branch of this National
Congress of Mothers when it was decided
at a meeting of mothers about the time they
are making up the wardrobes of their
daughters for the fall and winter season
if plans discussed Tuesday materialize.

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STOCKTON, Aug. 17.—Plans for a con-
cert by one of the largest bands of musi-
cians ever assembled in the West are be-
ing made by the workers who have
charge of the music features of the cele-
bration of California's sixty-second birth-
day to be held in Stockton, September 7,
8 and 9. Under the auspices of the Grand
Parlors of the Native Sons and Daugh-
ters of the Golden West.

Over 400 of the best musicians in Cal-
ifornia will be moved in one band under
one leader and under popular and pa-
triotic airs on Hunter street square on
the afternoon of Sunday September 8.
It is confidently expected that this will
excel any musical feature of its kind
ever attempted on the Pacific coast.

Stockton expects to entertain 50,000
visitors during the three days of the Ad-
mission day celebration. The parade on
the morning of September 9 will be over
four miles long. Thousands of Native
Sons and Daughters with their brass
bands, drum corps and historical floats
reflecting the patriotism and state pride
typical of these two orders will march
in review. Over twenty brass bands from
various parts of the state will appear in
the procession. Among those who are
working for the success of the affair are
A. W. Atwood, a member of the decorating
committee, and C. E. Reynolds of the
publicity committee.

Among the cities which will be repre-
sented by bands are the Admission
day parade thus far reported are Oak-
land, six bands, San Francisco, probably
six or over, Sacramento two, Stockton,
San Jose, Fresno, Lodi, Oakesdale, Mo-
desto, Angels Camp, Manteca and prob-
ably Sonoma. Many other cities are yet
to be heard from.

**BRIGADIER-GENERAL
TO GO ON RETIRED LIST**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Brigadier
General George S. Anderson will be placed
on the retired list of the army October
15, upon his own application, having leave
of absence meantime, by an order issued
today. General Anderson commanded the
department of the Visayas, Philippines,
until last June, when it was merged with
the department of Luzon.

Garmo, chairman of the Country life de-
partment of the National Congress, that
light skirts have not been checked, and
their daughters into light skirts, the fa-
thers and husbands of the country are
going to get them out. "The men, Mrs.
De Garmo declared, are protesting
against the light skirts, and fathers are
prohibiting their daughters wearing
them."

In many cases the wearing of light
skirts has been the result of economy,
she said. "Mothers are encouraged
to wear light skirts because they are
cheap and require only one-third the
cost of the long skirts. Dresses
now are made with 2 1/2 yards of cloth,
where formerly they required 8 or 9
yards."

The fathers will settle the question
Recently my husband came home and
after telling about the dress of a wo-
man he saw he turned to our daughter
and declared, "Don't you ever let me
see you with anything like that on!"

"I do not want to see a return to hoop
skirts. The present day clothes are
practical and beautiful, but if they are
too tight they lack both beauty and
morality."

This was impressed on me recently
while I was going to the Y. W. C. A.
lecturer. I noticed several
men coming along a corner
of the city. When I got nearer I
saw they were looking at a young girl
who was dressed in black satin and the
skirt was very tight. The girls lent a
sidelong glance to her. When the girls
saw the girl passed the men she and
the both dropped their eyes. They
were all ashamed of themselves.

I delivered a lecture on Temperance in
the city. The public life given to views
against the light skirts will help solve
the problem. The mothers will call on
a propaganda and as a matter of fact
they have been called on to settle the mat-
ter. In the future who has four daughters
and who has had the opportunity to
see the light skirt in action, she will
be a practical mother and an important bear-
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Tall Flow-
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The New Suits This Fall

Serges \$19.75

Blue and black Tailored Suits
Fine Materials in WHIPCORDS, SERGES AND ROUGH MIXTURES

The Cloaks This Season

All Astrakan Cloth Cloak \$24.75
Black lining

MIXTURES, CHECKS, PLAIDS, CHINCHILLAS

and New Rough Materials, trimmed with large buttons, velvet and convertible collars—some double-faced goods—all sizes,
ranging in price from \$14.75, \$24.75, \$30.00 up

One-Piece Dresses

Beautiful velvets in blues and browns, tastily trimmed with lace and silk in white and colors—these are exceptionally at-
tractive and unusually good values.

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Voile and Crepe Waists

Many of these pretty Waists have
Irish and Cluny yokings and some are
daintily trimmed with Valenciennes lace
and embroidered. All high necks, for
early fall, some with long sleeves, others
with elbow sleeves.

CREPES \$1.75 to \$2.75
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New Silk Waists

Cut on tailored lines with long sleeves,
made of messaline, in navy and browns;
also in green and blue mixtures, blue and
black mixtures and change-
able; all sizes

\$6.75

Black Messalines and Taffetas \$4.50 to
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Tourist Collapsible Go-Carts

Most Practical Line on the Market

TOURIST CARRY-ALL \$4.50
Light, durable and easy to carry.

JUNIOR TOURIST NO. 31 \$6.50
Upholstered in artificial leather coil springs, bow hood, folds
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JUNIOR TOURIST NO. 65 \$10.50
Half-inch rubber tire, handle and frame of seamless steel tub-
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MANY OTHER STYLES at \$5; \$8.50, \$11.50, \$13.50 and \$16

Durable Silk Petticoats

These are made with elastic band, closed on left side front,
with snaps and fit like a glove. Leading colors—white, black
and changeable.

(Second Floor)

ALAMEDA

GODSPEED SAID TO BERKELEY PASTOR

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her father, was thrown against the wing guard. Mr. Swan was thrown against the steering wheel and was painfully bruised. The grandmother, Mrs. Swan, and the injured boy in the rear seat were not so seriously injured. Mrs. Swan was precipitated against the front seat and severely bruised. The injured boy, resting in cushions and buttressed by pillows, was only shaken and bruised. When Mr. Swander, who was in equilibrium as he rushed to her son, found him completely uninjured. The doctor summoned to the family physician, Dr. David C. Palmer, examined the boy and he took the injured to his office. Later, after the boy's arm was set, the boy was taken to Mr. Swan's home. Yesterday the boy, while in bed, was having riding a burro at Yellow camp and how he had fallen and broken his arm. The boy was taken to the camp to see the broken bone, and for that reason Mrs. Swan, the grandmother, started home with the young

In town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor is spending a few days in St. Mary's with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ireland were weekend guests of C. A. Hines and family.

Arthur Baird is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hines are expected to return from a two weeks' stay in Kansas state.

Mr. Adam Clement and children of Oakland are expected to move west, visiting C. and Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. H. B. Martin recently started in Idaho.

Miss Anita Martin has returned from a week's stay with friends in Hayward or Oakland.

A. J. Hines was a visitor with his sister, M. Hines.

The Pioneer-Bulletin held its planning office in downtown Oakland, in the 1000 block of Broadway, on September 21, in the presence of Mrs. Margaret M. Hines, an St. Mary's nurse, and Mrs. M. Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson of Oakland were in town with their son, Mr. J. Thompson.

NEGLIGENT RICHMOND MAN JAILED AT VALLEJO

RICHMOND, Aug. 17.—J. Baird, for whom a warrant was issued Thursday by Police Judge William Lindes for a charge of deserting his minor children, has been arrested in Vallejo by the police of that city, according to advices received here this afternoon by Acting Chief of Police R. E. Baird. Baird is reported by the Vallejo police to be a married man, a journeyman as an electrician and Sergeant Charles Walker was instructed by the court to make arrangements, if possible, to allow him to continue working with the provision that each day he turn over to the police the names of the persons in the care of the children to the officers in that city.

Insulators, started operations for the first time today. The Western Electric Co. has 100 men at the plant, but it had a large number of linemen busy for a week running 11 power lines to this new plant, while the contractors have been rushing the completion of the plant so that work could commence on the initial big order. The order is placed for 100,000 Standard G. works, amounting to \$1,000,000. The present structure cost upwards of \$75,000, and there will be four different structures in the plant, for the manufacture of various porcelain products, a note that the electrical supply department is working on the other structures. The 100 men employees 16 men to start with skilled workmen brought in from other plants, and will do this kind of work as well as the other machinery now

Mrs. Winthrode entered the summer school of music. Mrs. Winthrode formerly made her home in Fresno before coming to Berkeley. She is a talented musician, having taken a prominent part in the concert that closed the summer

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4 to a case, \$7.90; tins, 6 to a case, \$6.12s. \$6.23 per case; 20s, \$6.80 per case. & L. salad oil, tins, 6 to a case, 65c; M. & cooking oil, 63c for white and 61c for yellow.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, 3@3½¢ per lb for Mexican, \$1.60@1.75 per bunch for Hawaiian and 4¢@4½¢ per lb for Central American.

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NO MORE 'CHUCKS' FIREBUG AT WORK IN DUBLIN ROAD ABOUT LIVERMORE

LIVERMORE, Aug. 17.—A mobbing is beginning to harass the residents of this section. Last Saturday the mobbing made an attempt to destroy Farmer's warehouse No. 2, on lower First street, which is a large building, and is full of inflammable material but the firemen's arrival of one of the attacks of the mob resulted in the mob's departure before it had made any headway. Several other small conflagrations of similar nature have been discovered by the firemen, but the mob's intentions have no big damage has been done. The fire bug, if apprehended by local residents will be severely dealt with.

San Ramon, Livermore, ...	8:15a	San Joaquin Valley Express	8:15a	Week Days—8:15a and every 15 minutes inclusive, Sunday and every 30 minutes.
Coats, ...				
Merced, ...				
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Bakersfield, ...				
Los Angeles, ...	12:15p	Week Days—8:15a and every 15 minutes inclusive, Sunday and every 30 minutes.		
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At About Half-Price

7-inch Linens—worth 5c, 3c
 9-inch Linens—worth 8c, 4c
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 18-in. Linens—worth 25c, 14c
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Free embroidery lessons
 every Tuesday, Thursday and
 Saturday from 10 to 12.

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 Of the Big

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Within a few days the im-
 mense steel frame will be
 completed.

Still More Wonderful Values for the Second Week

**Curtains**

A thousand pairs in heavy
 English and imitation Brussels
 Net. Your choice of twenty dif-
 ferent patterns. Pretty, inex-
 pensive curtains that would
 brighten up many windows
 amazingly. Regular \$1.25 a
 pair values. White Sale Price,

98c**New Lots of Spreads**

To Take the Places Of Those Sold Out During
 the Busy Days Of Last Week—Large Savings

**Honeycomb
Bed Spreads**

The soft, heavy, durable kinds
 Buy liberally.

\$1.50 Honeycomb
 Bed Spreads for **\$1.29**
 \$2.00 Honeycomb
 Bed Spreads for **\$1.59**
 \$2.50 Honeycomb
 Bed Spreads for **\$2.09**
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**Marseilles
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The best satin spreads. Beauti-
 ful patterns.

\$2.25 Marseilles
 Bed Spreads for **\$1.69**
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 Bed Spreads for **\$1.79**
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 Bed Spreads for **\$2.99**
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 Bed Spreads for **\$4.99**

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Have Been Heaped Upon the Bargain Tables For the 2d Week of This Festival

The garments are all of dependable quality. They were gathered from the best makers in the coun-
 try—from factories where the most cleanly and sanitary conditions exist.
 Not a single piece is skimpy or inferiorly made. Every garment is generously proportioned—every
 stitch is true—every button firmly placed. The materials are good, and the laces and embroideries with which
 they are trimmed are dainty, refined, handsome, and serviceable.

Garments worth to 45c for

24c

Women's Cambric Drawers—
 Made with wide ruffle of tucks and
 hemstitching or embroidery and
 lace.

Percale Aprons—Made of best
 quality percales, in stripes and
 polka dots—light and dark color-
 ings.

Garments worth to 85c for

48c

Women's Night Gowns—Made of
 cambric or nainsook and neatly
 trimmed—high V neck or low cir-
 cular effect.

Women's Drawers—Fine cambric
 with deep embroidered flounce or
 ruffle of lawn and lace.

Garments worth to \$1.50 for

98c

Nainsook Combinations—Corset
 cover and skirt models—beautifully
 trimmed with very handsome laces
 and embroideries.

Women's Gowns—French nain-
 sook—trimmed with laces, em-
 broderies and medallions—kimono
 or elbow sleeves

GIRLS' WASH DRESSES 59c
 Ages 2 to 6 years—Values to 85c

BOYS' WASH SUITS \$1
 Ages 2 to 6 years—Values to \$1.50

Bath and Huck Towels

Turkish Towels—Size 18x36 inches. Hemmed and of really
 good quality. White Sale Price **11c**

Turkish Towels—24x44. Known
 as "The Great English Bath
 Towel." White Sale
 Price—each **29c**

Turkish Towels—18x38 inches.
 Our great leader. White
 Sale Price—each **14c**

Hemstitched Huck Towels in pretty jacquard and floral de-
 signs—18x34 inches. A very unusual bargain **11c**

Huck Towels—Size 17x32
 inches. Regular price, 10c
 each. White Sale Price **7c**

Huck Towels—Size 18x36 inches
 —regular price 12 1/2 each.
 White Sale Price **9c**

Huck Towels—Size 21x45 inches
 —regular price 20c each.
 White Sale Price **13c**

Huck Towels—Size 21x40 inches
 —regular price 33 1/2c
 each. White Sale Price **23c**

Boxed English Nainsook—10 yards in each
 box—extra fine quality for
 lingerie—per box **\$1.29**

Pin Dot and Fancy Swisses for pretty
 street dresses—regular 25c
 kinds—Sale Price **13c**

36-inch English Madras in several differ-
 ent stripe patterns—a regu-
 lar 20c quality, for **9c**

Hemstitched "Rialto" Sheets

Size 81x90 inches. Made from extra heavy and
 firm muslin—hand torn from the piece. Kahn's
 own brand—a bargain that should hold sharp in-
 terest for all owners of hotels, lodging houses and
 private homes.

Hemmed Pillow Cases—Size 45x
 26 inches. Good muslin. White
 Sale Price—each **12c**

Hemstitched Pillow Cases—Size 45
 x26 inches; excellent muslin. White
 Sale Price—each **12 1/2c**

Hemstitched Pillow Cases—Full
 size. Our Extra Special quality.
 White Sale Price—each **14c**

EXTRA Embroidered and
 Hemstitched Pillow
 Cases—full size. Greatest bar-
 gain in fine Cases we ever of-
 fered. Each **29c**

August Fur Sale

All Our Fur Coats 1/3 OFF Neck Furs and Mufts

WILL BE ON SALE THE BALANCE OF THIS MONTH AT

This sale has a double purpose—to give wide publicity to the fact that we have the largest stock of furs ever
 brought to this city and to make you familiar with our very reasonable prices.
 It is a real sale. You will actually save 33 1/3c on each and every dollar you invest. You will get furs of sterling,
 dependable quality. And you will get the very latest styles, for

Only New Furs Are Offered in This Remarkable Sale

You must buy promptly to take advantage of this discount. The sale will positively end with the last day of this
 month. On and after the first day of next month we will have to charge you full prices. Only a few items are ad-
 vertised—just enough to show what this sale means to you in dollars and cents.

Marmot Sets—
 Regular prices \$16.50 to \$30.00
 NOW **\$11.00 to \$20.00**

Japanese Mink Sets—
 Regular prices \$24.00 to \$73.75
 NOW **\$16.00 to \$49.50**

Red Fox Sets—
 Regular prices \$25.00 to \$60.00
 NOW **\$16.65 to \$40.00**

White Moufflon Sets—
 Regular prices \$20.00 to \$37.50
 NOW **\$13.35 to \$18.35**
 Take Elevator to Third Floor

Iceland Fox Sets—
 Regular prices \$7.50 to \$25.00
 NOW **\$ 5.00 to \$16.65**

Black Fox Sets—
 Regular prices \$43.75 to \$82.50
 NOW **\$29.25 to \$55.00**

Manchurian Lynx Sets—
 Regular prices \$22.00 to \$29.25
 NOW **\$14.65 to \$19.50**

Black Coney Sets—
 Regular prices \$7.50 to \$25.00
 NOW **\$ 5.00 to \$11.00**
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Opossum Sets—
 Regular prices \$15.00 to \$21.00
 NOW **\$10.00 to \$14.00**

Raccoon Sets—
 Regular prices \$42.50 to \$57.50
 NOW **\$28.35 to \$38.35**

Blue Wolf Sets—
 Regular prices \$32.00 to \$42.75
 NOW **\$21.35 to \$28.35**

**ALL FUR COATS AND
 CHILDREN'S FURS 1/3 OFF**
 Take Elevator to Third Floor

Our Famous Third Floor Is Now Showing a Very Extensive Collection of Suits, Dresses and Coats for Autumn

The models are smart, original, becoming and strictly exclusive—The rich fabrics and beautiful colorings are
 Dame Fashion's favorites—The values are the best we ever offered at the start of a new season.

These Great Mercerized Table Damask Bargains

Created a Sensation Last Week. Now Lots At the Same Low Prices Will Be On Sale This Week

Mercerized Damasks in several pretty patterns.
 Good quality and 54 inches wide. Great bargain.
 White Sale Price—yard **23c**

Mercerized Damasks in beautiful designs.
 Heavy, firm quality. 58 inches wide. Very re-
 markable value. White Sale Price—yard **29c**

Mercerized Table Cloths in Six Pretty Patterns. Bordered all around. Splendid quality. White Sale price, each **98c**

Mercerized Damasks in a fine range of exquisite
 patterns. Very best make. 64 inches wide. Won-
 derful value. White Sale Price—yard **39c**

Mercerized Napkins—Size 18x18 inches. Ex-
 cellent quality and hemmed ready for use. Hand-
 some patterns. White Sale Price—dozen **89c**

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 Twelfth at Washington—Oakland

\$1.50 LIN-
 GERIE
 WAISTS FOR **63c**
 \$1.75 Lin-
 GERIE
 WAISTS FOR **85c**

WAISTS

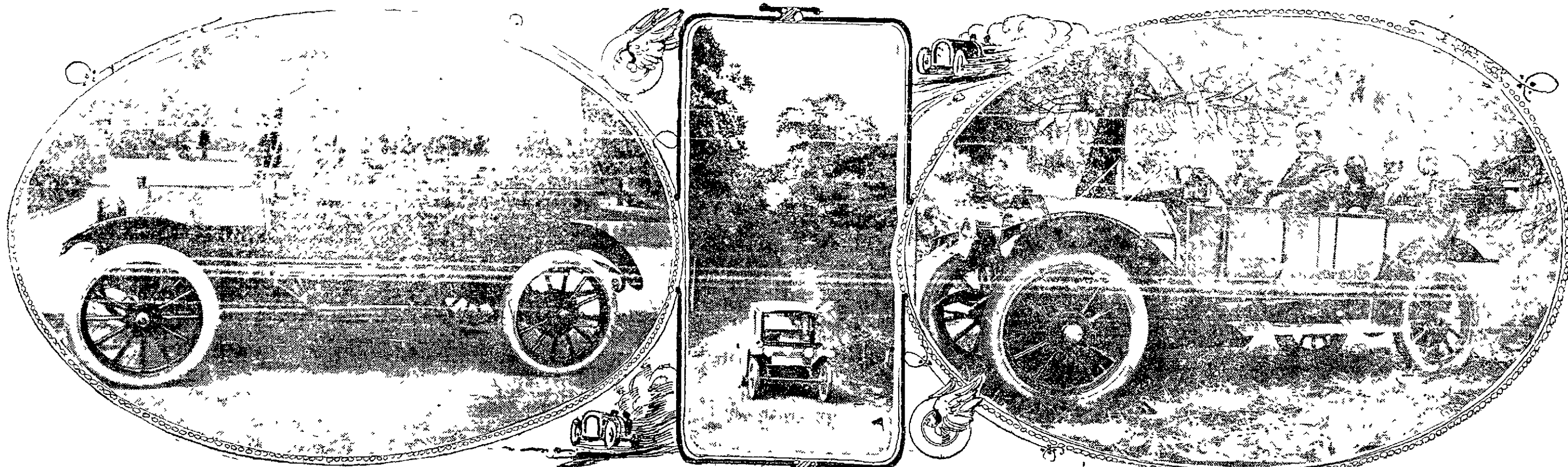
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 WAISTS FOR **\$1.45**
 \$6.00 LIN-
 GERIE
 WAISTS FOR **\$3.95**

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AUTOMOBILE SECTION

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The 1913 Oakland Roadster, the first model of this well known line to arrive on the coast, now being exhibited by the Imperial Garage.

Flanders Colonial Electric en route to New Orleans, laying out 1912 Glidden Tour.

A gathering of Howard Auto Company branch managers—live wires, every one of 'em. Left to right: CHARLEY HOWARD, the big chief; R. K. ROBERTS, San Francisco manager; MEL JOHNSON, Portland boss; FRANK HOWARD, from Los Angeles, and G. H. McCUTCHEN, Oakland manager.

WEAVER UPHOLDS AMERICAN LABOR

Takes Issue With Those Who Claim Europeans Excel as Mechanics.

That the growth of the American automobile industry has proven a boon to the European mechanic, is the opinion of many of the leading automobile men of the country and this view is emphatically supported on this coast by General Manager Chester H. Weaver of the San Francisco branch of the Studebaker Corporation. When the question was put a few days ago at a club dinner, the statement of a fellow club member was made to the effect that the quality of labor gathered in American automobile factories could never compare with that available in similar enterprises in Europe.

Weaver, who represents on this coast a corporation whose annual product in the automobile line alone totals more than \$100,000,000, was quick to reply to the statement, even stating that exactly the reverse was true.

"The idea that European factories excel the American in this respect," said Weaver, "has been current so many years that I suppose it has become a sort of habit. But the growth of the automobile industry in America has enabled the mechanic to emigrate with a variety of work at once at more than double his old wages. The pick of the foreign labor is now in America as a result of this element is really of great importance in our factory."

Automotive has developed her own style of automobile making and a far superior type of it in American methods of machine manufacture are far more accurate than the most painstaking sort of work. The machine cannot make a mistake, its every movement is limited to a very definite range, each operation is a perfect repetition of the one that has place in the corresponding cycle.

But there remains a few departments where the American factory workers have not yet reached the level of the European. In the building of the chassis and experimental parts, and in the delicate operation of fitting motor parts, there exists a demand for the hand of the European. In these departments of our Detroit plants the work of the European is greatly in the majority. There are now in our country scores of men who have worked in the shops of the European manufacturers. Germans from the Benz, Italians from the Fiat, Belgians from the Darracq, Frenchmen from the Darracq, and Englishmen from the Daimler, work side by side with Americans, Austrians, Scotch and the other races who have learned to cooperate with patience and painstaking, a mechanical art that even the versatile American machinery has not wholly surpassed.

FREE INFORMATION ON THE USE OF LEATH-R-NU

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STOP-A-LEAK RADIATOR CEMENT

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ESSENKAY REMEDY FOR TIRE TROUBLE

Bursting Tires Cause of Serious Accidents to Be Eliminated.

"During the last twelve months, according to Jefferson Moffitt of the Essenkay Sales Co., there have been over six hundred accidents directly attributable to bursting tires. A glance backward over automobile statistics shows an appalling loss of life, the greater part of which could have been prevented."

"The discovery of the compound Essenkay has been the best needed insurance for far devised, as the use of this filler renders puncture and blow-outs impossible, minimizes skidding, and eliminates the bursting tire."

"Essenkay is a spongy mass moulded into two foot lengths with varying diameters to fit the standard tire sizes. No inner tube is used, as the compound is inserted directly into the casing."

"The fact that no rubber, glue, glycerine or gelatine enters into Essenkay composition is sufficient to convince the expert that disintegration is only a remote possibility. Any of these ingredients is in itself sufficient to render the tire filler useless, as they are all affected by heat and will oxidize. The advantages of Essenkay are obvious. Inasmuch as Essenkay is impervious to heat and cold, the pressure is constant under all conditions, and the 'traction spot' is always the same. Tire makers are continually urging their customers to keep a constant high pressure in their tires, in order to get the best service. They know that a fluctuating pressure and a changing 'traction spot' is not only ruinous to the tread but also weakens the side walls of the tire and the consequence is a costly blow-out."

"Essenkay maintains this constant pressure, with never a thought from the driver. The result is an increased life to the casing and one half the former expense."

"Owners of commercial vehicles are finding Essenkay invaluable. Trucks and delivery wagons are no longer kept from work by tire trouble. The driver is no longer able to load, and explain their negligence by blaming a blow-out or puncture. Firms which have figured delivery expense down to so much per package have found that the cost of delivery has been lessened in some cases as much as forty per cent."

"To the users of pleasure cars the discovery means much. There is nothing so calculated to mar a day's outing as to grovel in the dust or mud, under a blistering sun or a deluge of rain, replacing punctured tubes or blow-out casings."

Mr. Moffitt reports a large and growing demand for Essenkay, and larger quarters have already been found necessary. The Essenkay Sales Co. now maintains, beside its salesroom at Broadway and Twentieth, a branch on Twentieth street, near Telegraph avenue.

ALCO TRUCK BUCKING BAD ROADS IN WYOMING

The latest report received from E. L. Ferguson, in charge of the Alco truck for the Auto Sales Co. of this city, was dated at Rock Springs, Wyoming.

"In our days of work with the Alco truck car, we were required to build a trail on the overflow alkali flat, holding back while constructing a temporary causeway."

"What of here are many deep gullies, these will test construction beyond experience of many other truck efforts."

"The crew has had a hard time of it going across Wyoming. The storm has played havoc with the trail for miles, necessitating in many places the cutting a new trail through the hills over which the trail leads. The roads are soft and practically impassable."

"At present the crew is under the rain. The prospects are after leaving Rock Springs in getting through. Over river that that going will be better. They will then shortly be in Utah."

CHICAGO 'POLICE COURT RAG' NEWEST IN DANCES

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—(By M. H. H.) The Police Court today heard the case of a man who had been arrested for dancing the 'rag' in a public place. The man was fined \$100 and costs.

ORGANIZATION OF LOZIER CHANGES

H. M. Jewett Elected President, Succeeding H. A. Lozier, Resigned.

Plans for the reorganization of the Lozier Motor company of Detroit and Plattburgh, N. Y., were completed at a recent meeting of the board of directors in this city.

H. A. Lozier, president of the company, has resigned and has been succeeded by Harry M. Jewett, president of the Paige-Detroit Motor Car company and a Lozier stockholder since the establishment of the company in Detroit. Raymond P. Tosdick, commissioner of accounts in New York City has been elected to the vice-presidency of the company and will also fill the office of treasurer. F. P. Darle and H. A. Kahler, prominent financiers of New York were made members of the board of directors.

Harry M. Jewett, the new president of the company, first won attention in the business world through his success as a wholesale coal operator. Starting on a small scale in 1892, Mr. Jewett was later joined by his brother, H. H. Jewett, J. W. Bigelow and W. Brooks and the firm of Jewett, Bigelow & Brooks is now one of the largest wholesale coal companies in Michigan. H. M. Jewett has been president since its formation.

Since taking hold of the Paige-Detroit Motor Car company in the capacity of president, Mr. Jewett has succeeded in raising the company to a high rank among motor car concerns of Detroit, and his many friends predict similar success in his management of the Lozier company.

YOUNG COWBOY FINDS TROUBLE ON THE PLAINS

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 17.—Life as a cowboy—the real thing—in the saddle under a wide-brimmed hat with a leather band around it, was the dream of Harry Miller of Chicago, 15 years old, who arrived here. He had \$75 which he said he earned working on a farm.

"When I had saved that much I heard the call of the plains and came West," he explained. At the stock yards he paid \$51 for a cowboy pony and in a Union avenue store he bought a pair of "chaps" with long hair on them, a pair of gauntlets and the hat of his dreams. These preparations for life in the open exhausted his capital and, it is charged, he stole a purse. He was taken to the juvenile court.

LEWISBURG, Pa., Aug. 17.—Abel Johnson, a Kelly township farmer, drove to town with a load of new mown hay. As he was coming up Fourth street the hay suddenly burst into flames, and the load was soon a mass of fire and smoke.

The fire department saved the horses and wagon, but the hay was totally consumed. It is supposed that a portion of the load bearing down on a wheel so heated by the friction that it ignited the hay.

FRICITION IGNITES A HTAVY LOAD OF HAY

Both Cravortt and Morse were particularly attracted by the self-starter with which the new models are equipped. They expressed complete satisfaction with the work done by their own cars, but admitted that the company had made most important improvement this year.

The interest of automobilists in the development or the make of the car they own has never been more sharply demonstrated than by the experience of the Haynes factory branch in this city since the newest model has arrived from the East.

There are many Haynes owners throughout the state and a good many of these put in their vacations touring the roads in sections of California with which they were familiar. As part of such tours almost without exception, they have come to San Francisco and Oakland just to look over the new Haynes electric self-starting Haynes.

Among the recent pilgrims to arrive at the salesrooms was C. J. Cravortt of Fresno, an enthusiastic Haynes owner. Mr. Cravortt made his summer tour this year from Fresno to Medford, Oregon, following the same route he covered the previous year. News reached him, however, of the arrival here of the new model cars, and he broke his journey to look them over before proceeding further.

E. E. Morse of Ventura was the next long-distance Haynes owner to appear. He was enroute from his home to Lake Tahoe accompanied by his wife and equipped with a full camping outfit. When the news of the arrival of the new cars reached him, he changed his route in order to look at them, passing through San Francisco a few days ago.

COUNTRY OWNERS INSPECT NEW CARS

Latest Haynes Model Attracts Out-of-Town Tourists Here.

The first of the 1913 Oakland cars have been received by the factory branch in this city. Two models were in the shipment, the 30 horsepower roadster, and the 45 horsepower touring car.

The new cars are a decided improvement over last year's models, in looks. While the 1912 cars attracted a great deal of attention for their fine finish and high-grade appearance, yet when placed side by side the new cars just received, one can appreciate the result of a year's study of the designers.

The painting and striping are most artistic, giving the cars an individuality of their own. The gasoline tank in the new roadsters is a new design, and so built that it conforms to the shape of the seats and the tire rack.

Assistant Manager Davis, in speaking of the new cars, especially the roadster, says: "This car, the latest Oakland Roadster, is truly an 'up-to-date' product. It embodies everything you would ask for in a machine of this type. Of graceful lines, well proportioned and handsomely finished, this model stands out among the runabouts on the market and should appeal to those desiring the best at the correct price."

"The Roadster is of medium weight, insuring the economical use of gasoline and an even, gradual wear on tires. The chassis construction is of the unit power plant type, insuring, by its perfect alignment and minimum of friction, the delivery of the maximum power to the rear wheels. The motor has a four-inch bore by four inch stroke, developing full thirty horsepower."

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FISH BITE BETTER WHEN ANGLED FOR FROM AUTO

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MOTOR NEWS FROM ALL CORNERS OF THE WORLD

Breezy Bits of Information on Subjects of Interest to Autoists; Milwaukee Plans for Big Races

(By J. A. HOULIHAN.)

The Milwaukee Automobile Dealers' Association, promoter of the speed carnival of international interest for 1912, has rearranged the dates of the four classics incorporated in the program to suit the requirements of the governing bodies, and the result is that the events will be run as follows:

September 17, grand prix race, 436 miles, or 50 laps of the 87.25-mile circuit; September 20, first race for the Pabst blue ribbon trophy, 218 miles or 25 laps, and the first race for the Wisconsin challenge trophy, at 174 miles, or 20 laps; September 21, the eighth annual competition for the Vanderbilt cup, 236 miles or 34 laps.

Contracts have been signed for the construction of grandstands, which will seat 43,500 persons. The main stands will contain 25,000 reserved and 17,000 unreserved seats, and 250 boxes, seating 1500 persons. Preliminary road work is already being done and by August 26 the 87.25-mile circuit will be ready for the tryouts.

One of the cleverest feats of the taxi driver is to cut his steering efforts in half by running on car tracks. Unfortunately, street cars are so spaced in many cities as to provide a ready track for automobiles of standard tread, and with the wheels once on the rails, very little work on the part of the chauffeur is required to keep them there. Such treatment obviously results in a decrease of tire life.

If the tires were inflated to 70 or 80 pounds' pressure they would be hard enough to run and remain round in running on the edge of a street car rail. But since most taxi drivers keep their tires at an average pressure of about 65 pounds, if not less, the casings and tubes adjust their shape to the edges of the rails on which they are traveling, and with the full weight of the car pressing down on the tires, the rail edges act like dull knives, tending to break the center of the casing fabric which bears against them.

It may be safely stated that at least one-fifth of taxi car tire cost is due to the cars being run on the rail of the street car systems.

The manufacture of automobiles requires more than a million bales of cotton annually, of which 400,000 bales are used in the manufacture of tires and protectors, 50,000 bales are used for the manufacture of leather seats and cushions, 10,000 for the stuffing and upholstery, while the remainder is used up in making motor clothing, slip covers, insulating wires, tool bags, tool rolls, waste and mercerized rain clothing.

For simply filtering automobile lubricating oil alone millions of yards of 10-inch ducking is used annually, and say nothing of the vast amount of cotton or canvas covers made to put over cars while standing in salesrooms or garages. All this uses up cotton, so that the motor vehicle uses more cotton than the railroad and other allied industries. It has helped to increase the world's demand for the commodity by more than 5,000,000 bales in the last five years.

If you find that a valve is really the source of the trouble, the best thing to do is to remove it and send it to an experienced repair man who will either replace it with a perfect one or repair the defect. It is not advisable for an amateur to trouble with valves.

Commissioner of Public Safety H. E. Hessler of Syracuse, has requested the automobile club of that city to submit recommendations for changing the present traffic regulations of the city.

The Humane society of Schenectady, N. Y., has bought an automobile for use in dog-catching. It is a 45-horsepower car, with a large cage.

Grand Rapids' new safe and sane automobile ordinance now is in effect and is giving great satisfaction. The ordinance provides that it shall be unlawful to permit any noxious smoke, gas, steam or other offensive odor to escape from the motor vehicle, or operate it so that any engine, oil or residue from the fuel shall be discharged. Exhaust pipes must be parallel to the ground.

A law providing for the registration of automobiles and chauffeurs, and regulating the operation of motor vehicles on public highways, has been passed by the first Arizona state legislature. While it is unusual in many respects and drastic in some, it will relieve chaotic conditions that now prevail throughout Arizona and will augment the state road fund to a considerable degree. This law goes into effect early in September.

The grade of gasoline has changed during the past few years from 74 to 64 and is now around 60, Beaumont scale. It is a little harder to vaporize, but it gives forth more heat units per gallon and consequently more power than with gasoline of higher test. Fuel is what the car owner wants. But with lower-grade fuel has come a rise in price.

The board of public works at Milwaukee is considering a plan to oil asphalt streets as is now done with macadam roads, to make pavements dustless. It is believed the oiling of asphalt streets would be more economical than sprinkling and flushing with water.

In a historical volume written at Madrid in 1601, describing the discovery of America, by the Spaniard of Gascony, 1492, and the following year Antonio de Herrera Y Torresillas, mentions the fact that the Haytiens played a ball game with "gum balls." This is the first example in literature of any suggestion of India rubber.

With the object of developing a low-cost general utility tractor and power plant for farm service, St. Louis machine company is organizing a small manufacturing and marketing a gasoline machine of the paraffin type. To secure ample traction on soft ground, the machine is to be equipped with wheels having protruding feet, which are thrust radially outward on coming in contact with the ground. The stroke of the feet can be regulated to suit the nature of the ground, so that the range of action is not limited to soft ground alone. It is 4000 pound machine of the type in question, its tires can be inflated or deflated at \$500.

Probably the best proof of the increasing popularity of American cars in Europe, aside from the statistics of export statistics and the statements sent out from the export departments of the various manufacturers, is the frequency with which full-page and half-page ads of the Yankee product appear in English, French and German automobile papers and popular magazines. A single issue of one of the larger German magazines recently carried no less than eight pages of American advertising.

Directors of the Indianapolis motor speedway have abandoned plans for the proposed race meet at the speedway, August 31 and September 2. The meet will be closed for the year and there will be no further meets until 1913. It is announced, in connection with the abandonment of the meet, that it is feared it will be impossible to obtain a race car of sufficient strength for the meet, owing to the short time in which to prepare.

A company at St. Louis, Mo., has just marketed a machine to plane stone.

FIRST WARREN CAR HAD THE HABIT; STILL IN SERVICE IS NOW IN JAIL

Is Used to Trail Escaped Convicts Near City of New Orleans.

Wishing to learn the location of the first Warren car, and the work it was doing, Lucius E. Wilson, vice-president and general manager of the Warren Motor Car Co., of Detroit, wrote to the Aschar Motor Car Co., of New Orleans. He learned that the car was still in the service for which it was designed, that of trailing escaped convicts in the territory surrounding New Orleans. Up to three or four years ago it had been the custom in the Louisiana district to trail convicts with bloodhounds. When the motor car came into service, the popular trailers of the slave period, fell into disuse when it was found that the motor car was speedier and more effective. In the experiments the machines held up better than expected of motor cars in such a unique service, and the result is that now pictures of bloodhounds straining at the leash are depictions of history not of present day methods.

Corrupt politics is almost as corrupt as the community in which it prevails.

Prize Pincher of Pennsylvania Is Pinched by Peace Preservers.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Aug. 17.—Clipped with going to the home of several families here and pinching the cheeks of young girls and married women, a man giving his name as M. Silverfield first went to the house of Mrs. Fred Shaffer, and while she stood at the door he took her in his arms and kissed her. The woman fighting him desperately, she had some visitors who saw that Mrs. William Groschke, and, upon seeing her, he tried to embrace her. She fought him off and escaped. While he was at the Groschke home the police were notified, and Louise Groschke, knowing that the patrol would soon stop at the door, permitted Silverfield to pinch her cheeks in order to gain him. The patrol soon arrived, and Silverfield was taken away. All the women went to police court and testified against him, the magistrate demanding bail in the sum of \$1000, which the prisoner was unable to provide.

"Take your Wilson straight," advises the Springfield Republican. But if goes down better with one of those Marshall chasers.—Washington Post.

HITTIN' THE ROAD.

They've tied a can to the married man. The guy with a wife and kid; Marooned him far from a road's ear. That's arrear 'nough to skid.

They've gave my mount to a no-account who's hatching it; what it caught I'm heir to say that the married jay is hittin' the road that's rough.

The wedding bell was a solemn knell Of my days for gathering kelp. The motor's throbs and the gran' stan nob Give way to an infant's wail. I'm buildin' fires where I once changed kelp.

I'm neck, I'm mild and I'm tame. The gook who's wife is one who tames An anchor to his nag.

There ain't no spark to the baby's cart And the thing is shiv on speed. There ain't no wheel nor no throbbin' steel.

No onkin' that you can feed. New baby's pad may be to the good With the lace and skin's on it. But, bully gee, 'taint one two three With the grease-splatter'd bonnet.

I much prefer to travel with Herr (And spell it with a double r)—For a woman's only a woman.

My soul mate's a main car. Tied to a frau, I'm a has-been now. But give me another try; I'll bet my life against your wife I'd distance that married guy.

—J. C. Burton.

Becker, in his cell, answers all questions with "I've nothing to say." He wasn't a policeman all those years for nothing.

ALIMONY CLAIMS BASED ON BEAUTY

Fair Ladies Unadorned Soon Become Tiresome, Says Lawyer.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—That beauty, as such, is entitled to adornment as a matter of right, was the gist of a successful argument advanced in the superior court here today by Colonel James Hamilton Lewis, former congressman from Washington and present Democratic candidate for United States senator from Illinois.

Mrs. Florence E. Kirkpatrick, formerly of Kansas City, was seeking a court order for alimony of \$500 a month from her husband, Walter E. Kirkpatrick. To this end Colonel Lewis advanced Mrs. Kirkpatrick's beauty as a reason for large alimony.

"When Kirkpatrick married," said Colonel Lewis, "he knew that his wife was reputed a beauty and had to be maintained accordingly, consistent with his income and social standing."

"Kirkpatrick ought to be compelled to continue to support his wife in the style to which she was accustomed, which included jewels, silks, an automobile and a beautiful home. Beauty unadorned, soon becomes tiresome and uninteresting."

Judge W. E. Dever said he realized that to a certain extent luxuries became

GOLDEN STOCKINGS DAZZLE GUESTS

New York Society Maid Wears Them at \$100 a Pair.

BRETTON WOODS, N. H., Aug. 17.—Stockings of pure gold, the fashion Vogue, announced from San Francisco, is a glittering fact in puritanical New England.

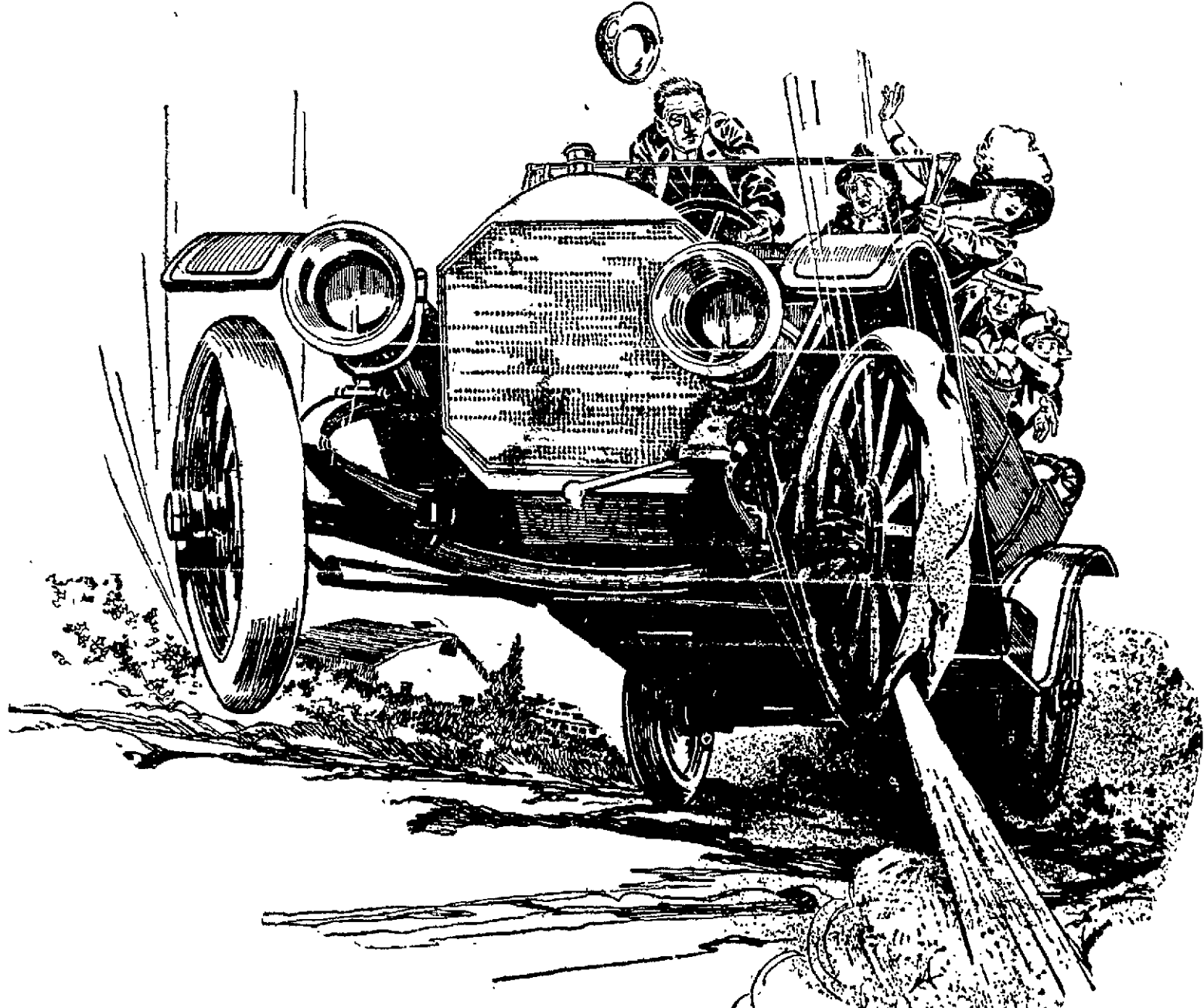
Miss Althea Gordon of New York, one of the fashionable young people at the Mount Washington hotel, is the first to bring the decadent innovation to Bretton Woods, but the excitement and admiration which her golden stockings caused among the young and old point to a rapid spread of the new lustrous habit.

These far Miss Gordon has worn two pairs of the wonderful creations. The first appearance was at one of the weekly dances, when her descent of the main stairway was marked by a pedal glow that dazzled all the other guests.

The second pair—which appeared at the following dance—were not only of golden texture, but were heavily brocaded with figures of a bird in paradise. It is said that gold stockings are considered a bargain at \$100 a pair. You can wear one pair two times, you are lucky.

Necessities in the case of Mrs. Kirkpatrick, and entered an order allowing her the use of her residence, temporary alimony of \$250 in cash and also \$150 a month received as rent for the Kirkpatrick house in Kansas City.

Our First Carload of ESSENKAY Has Arrived



STOP THAT TIRE TROUBLE!

Essenkay

"ENDS TIRE TROUBLES"

Essenkay is the long-expected invention that signalizes the final abandonment of air in automobile tires—the end of all tire troubles. It cuts the future cost of casings in half and creates a feeling of profound satisfaction and security that the public has not felt—nor had any right to feel—since the automobile was first invented.

With Essenkay in your casings you motor from month to month with never a thought of your tires.

With Essenkay in your casings expensive inner tubes are done away with—your tire bills are cut in half.

Nails, glass, tin cans and the like, menace you no longer, and motoring becomes the pleasure, the recreation, the business asset, that it should be.

Essenkay is simply wonderful. You'll never begin to realize its resiliency—its smooth, easy riding qualities—until you have used it.

Try ESSENKAY a Whole Month Free on Our Guarantee

We want you to test ESSENKAY for thirty days, ABSOLUTELY AT OUR RISK. We don't want you to risk a dollar until you have proven the truth of our claims TO YOUR OWN SATISFACTION. We stand squarely behind every claim we make. The ESSENKAY guarantee PROTECTS the PURCHASER absolutely. Every promise, every statement regarding ESSENKAY is backed by an IRONCLAD INDEMNITY BOND.

Get the Whole Story of Essenkay

Call if you can. At least send for the descriptive booklet and full information of the most startling invention in the whole history of the automobile industry. Don't take anybody's word—post yourself.

20th, near Broadway, Oakland, Phone Oak. 339

Won't Crumble Heat Has No Effect

From the report of Mr. J. C. Peebles and D. Roesch, working under the direction of the chemistry department of the Armour Institute of Technology, we present the following extract:

"A piece of Essenkay 3 inches in diameter and 11 inches long was placed inside of a brass tube 3 1/2 inches inside diameter, and loaded with 5000 pounds of weight. ESSENKAY contracted 13 per cent and RE-ESTABLISHED ITS ORIGINAL FORM."

"A specimen of Essenkay when subjected to a temperature of 212 degrees Fahrenheit, dry heat, for 24 hours showed a decrease in weight OF LESS THAN 1-5 OF 1 PER CENT."

THESE ARE MERELY THE BARE FACTS

Essenkay is absolutely and totally different from anything ever offered the public as a substitute for air in tires. It is just as resilient as air. It will ride as softly and smoothly as pneumatic tires.

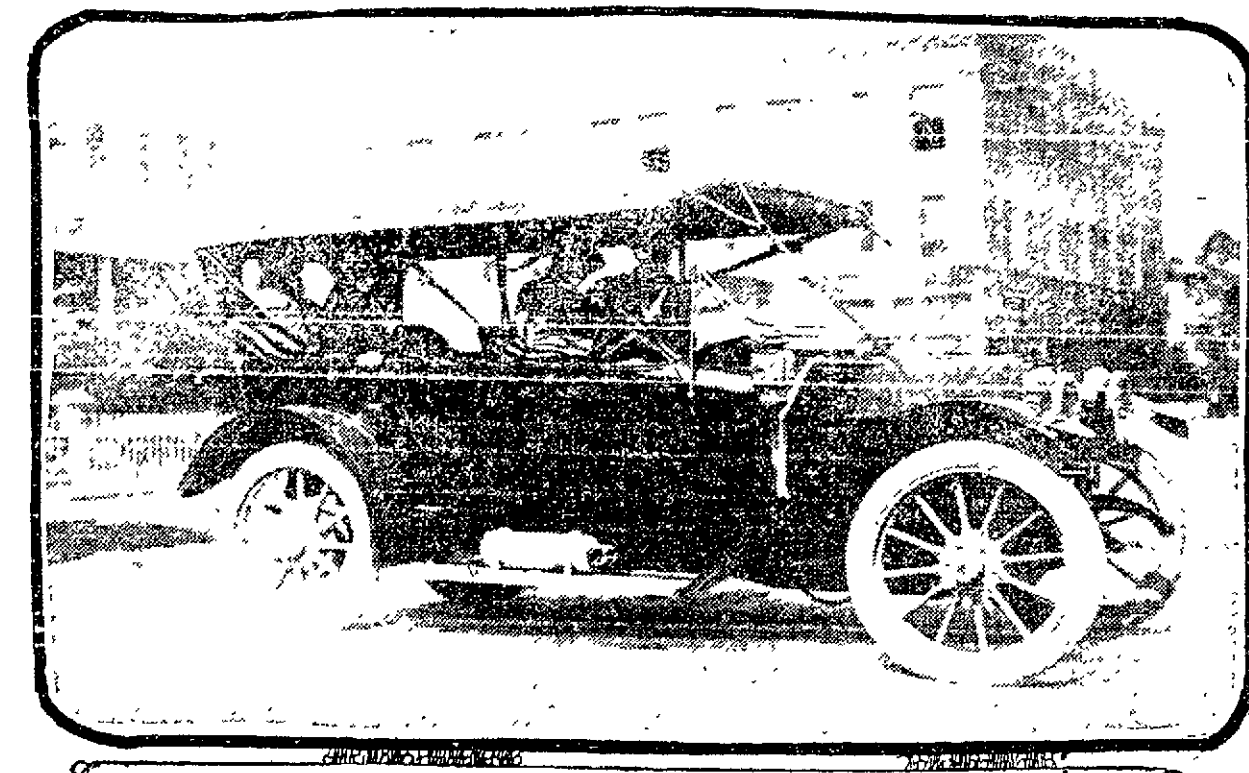
It means the end of all tire worries. It eliminates punctures; blow-outs are made impossible. It does away with inner-tubes, thus making an important saving.

Heat will not cause it to expand or cold to contract. Water will not dissolve it or affect it in any way.

It does not contain one particle of rubber. It will not crumble, harden, oxidize or rot. It will not yield to chemicals or chemical action.

Once placed in a tire it is always at the same pressure. Because of this, together with the freedom from blow-outs, punctures and with the consequent ability to wear casings down to the very limit—it means double mileage for tires.

NUMBER OF AUTOS IN USE IN AMERICA REACHING ONE-MILLION MARK



The Marion, one of the latest cars to be represented here by a factory branch in charge of H. C. (BUCK) WARD and W. J. PARRY.

NEW YORK STILL LEADS WITH CALIFORNIA SECOND

Valuation of Motorcars Is More Than a Billion Dollars; Increase in Ten Years Is Phenomenal

Before many more weeks have passed the registration of automobiles in this country will reach the 900,000 mark. Inside of another six months an additional hundred thousand will be in service. Conservatively placing an average valuation on each car of \$1200 and you arrive at a total of \$1,200,000,000, a figure involving the money expended for automobiles in the United States in a period of approximately ten years.

California is still second, the State of New York leading with a total registration on July 1st of 92,407. The figures for this State as shown on July 1st were 78,603. Continuing its present rate of increase for the next twelve months California will undoubtedly take the lead. So much for the popularity of the motor car in the Golden West.

While the growth of the automobile in America is universally regarded as one of the most remarkable features of the world's commercial progress, few persons have any definite idea of the exact figures which represent this amazing industry. Each successive year seems to astound, not only the public but the manufacturers themselves.

At the beginning of the present year the United States Government and many commercial bodies allied with the industry, announced figures that would almost seem to have marked the zenith of production and use of the motor car, but it appears that from a very exhaustive and comprehensive article published in The Automobile, we have, even as yet, only scratched the surface.

The average percentage of increase in the registration of cars in the United States for the past six months was 24.6 per cent, as compared with 29.6 per cent for the entire year preceding January, 1911. At this rate, the percentage for the twelve months between January 1 and December 31, 1912, would be 49.2 per cent, or an increase over the twelve months preceding January 1, 1912, of nearly 10 per cent.

TOTAL REGISTRATION 859,858.
The total registration of gasoline passenger cars between January and July this year has been 859,858 for the entire United States. This is 18.8 per cent increase over 1911. Between July 1, 1911, and July of this year, the American manufacturers produced 252,569 cars of all sorts.

An estimate based on the most conservative and accurate figures obtainable indicates that there are at present in use in the United States 859,000 automobiles in service, allowing 4500 unregistered in duplicate. During the last six months there have been registered in all of the States 31,574 commercial gasoline vehicles and 32,000 electric vehicles, at a total registration fee of \$4,769,873.

Among the States, New York still retains the lead in the number of registrations, with a total to date of 92,407, a gain of 8438 cars since the first of the year.

California is the next in line, showing the tremendous increase of 19,401 between January and July this year, and a total of 78,603.

NEW JERSEY NOW SEVENTH.
New Jersey, by reason of her re-

REMARKABLE TRIP MADE BY LOCAL MOTORIST

Dr. L. W. Freidman Tours 1600 Miles in Buick "30" With Clean Score.

One of the most remarkable trips of the season was completed ten days ago by Dr. L. W. Freidman of this city. Deciding to make an outing trip of his vacation instead of seeking a resting place in a crowded summer resort, the doctor planned a trip by auto as far south as San Diego.

Leaving here in his Buick "30" he reached Los Angeles in two days and made San Diego on the night of the third day. From the latter place he toured across the border line into Tia Juana.

While in the south he struck extremely warm weather. At times the tires, even after the car had remained idle for several hours, were so hot that to touch them meant severely burnt fingers.

His total mileage as shown by the speedometer when he reached Oakland was 1600 miles. In all of this distance he states that he never once raised the hood to make an adjustment of any nature. Not even one puncture was experienced and the tires look to be in just as good shape now as when first put on the car.

Goodyear equipment is fitted to the four wheels. "I've heard of many strenuous journeys in the last few years, but must admit that the record of Dr. Freidman comes the closest to a real clean score affair we've ever recorded. It speaks in the highest terms not only for excellent driving but for the doctor's own mechanical reliability mark up for Buick and for the strength of the Goodyear "over-size" and "no rim cut" arguments.

"WILD AND WOOLY" GAMES PROVE FATAL FOR LAD

RACINE, Wis., Aug. 17.—Sitting around a campfire in true western fashion, a dozen boys ranging in age from 8 to 11 years yesterday afternoon tried winners, baked potatoes and indulged in games such as are supposed to entertain residents of the "wild and woolly." But even this palled on their appetites, and one of the boys, named Harry, picked up a small caliber rifle, endeavoring to explode it at an imaginary target. He failed, and the explosion of the trigger, which he had pulled, sent the rifle flying into the air. The camp immediately disbanded.

The hospital today young Bartholomew is reported as not dangerously injured.

CHICAGO GIRL IS VATICAN DELEGATE

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Miss Nellie Stevin, of No. 4233 Wilcox avenue will carry the annual report of the Catholic Women's League of Chicago to Pope Pius X at Rome.

Miss Stevin, who speaks French, Spanish, Italian, German, Russian and several other languages fluently, will go to Europe as the official representative of the Chicago women at many gatherings of an international nature. She has had charge of the art and literature classes of the league for the last two years.

GENE KRAPP MAY NOT WORK AGAIN THIS YEAR

Gene Krapp may not pitch another game for the Cleveland club this year, says a Cleveland paper. Gene has been troubled with a sore arm most of the season. Prior to the last trip to Detroit Gene consulted Bonsetter Reese, went to Detroit and pitched a brilliant game. On the strength of that performance the manager was led to believe that Krapp was again in condition.

FINAL GAME OF ALAMEDA CHAMPIONSHIP TODAY

ALAMEDA, Aug. 17.—The third and last game of the Alameda championship was played today at the Alameda Athletic Club. The game was played between the Alameda Athletic Club and the Alameda Athletic Club. The game was played between the Alameda Athletic Club and the Alameda Athletic Club.

BOSTON MAN IS WINNER OF LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—The winner of the lawn tennis tournament was a man from Boston. He won the tournament by defeating all other players.

USE PIGGY'S TAIL NOW FOR SCIENCE

Drain for Treated Blood With Which to Combat Dreaded Hog Cholera.

MARYVILLE, Mo., Aug. 17.—Another use has been found for the pig's tail, and the caudal appendage of the porker now serves a purpose other than for boiling in the can at the night street vender, who also sells wieners and "red hots." It is a splint or splinter, whereby blood that has been treated in a selected hog is used in the vaccination of others that are afflicted with cholera. When a supply of blood is needed a thin washer is sliced off the tail and this process is repeated until there is no more tail, and then the hog's usefulness to the laboratory is over and the butcher takes charge of the remains.

All of which says V. I. Hurler of Grant City, a student in the Agricultural College at Columbia and who is in Nodaway county this week, explaining how in a number of farmers. Hurler, in his third year at the university and has spent much time in the special study of hog cholera and the making of the serum.

He came to Nodaway county and has vaccinated about 500 hogs, making a record of 100 hogs in one hour and twenty minutes one day, with two men catching the animals and passing them to him as fast as possible.

The cholera serum now employed generally began to come into use in Missouri about five years ago, the treatment being worked out thoroughly at the state experimental farm before the farmers were supplied with the serum. Now the state manufactures many thousands doses of the serum every month and supplies it to the farmers at cost and sends a man to do the vaccinating.

The manufacture of serum begins with a hog that had died with the cholera. Blood from the animal undergoes a treatment in the laboratory and then is injected into a well hog in just the right quantity. A wait of ten days is made and the dose is doubled, and the process goes on for two months.

For a time the well pig is the recipient of all the dosing, but the time comes for him to give up, and the end of his tail is sliced off—just a tiny slice, and he is asked to contribute about a quart of blood in the cause. Then his tail is tied up and he starts in on a new course of treatment.

After a while he gets more blood from the cholera hog, he loses more of his tail and there is more trying up and turning loose.

And this process is repeated over and over again, the length of the pig's usefulness depending upon the length of its tail. When the wag end of the animal gets too short to cut off, he is near the end of his life, for his next move is to cut his throat and take the last drop of blood possible and then sell him for meat.

All through these careful operations every sanitary and septic caution is taken, just like in a hospital. The progress of the cases is watched, and the blood drawn from the pigs under treatment is taken through a process in the laboratory, treated with carbolic acid and refrigerated and sealed in bottles ready to send out to the farmers.

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ATTORNEY GOES INSANE; CLIENT MADE BIGAMIST

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Owing to a mistake made by a lawyer, William Ordman, a Chicago attorney, found himself in an embarrassing domestic situation. In October, 1909, he secured an interlocutory decree of divorce from his wife, Edna Ordman, and married Miss Lillian Jacobs, the following January.

Before remarrying he was assured by his lawyer that the final decree had been granted in due course in December, 1909. A few weeks ago the first Mrs. Ordman very called at Ordman's house and told him that she had not perfected her divorce against her and that she was entitled to support. He refused to deal with her and she had him arrested. In the domestic relations court the man explained that he had obtained a decree and had been barred to get a copy of the final decree.

He went to his lawyer's office and learned that the attorney had been committed to an insane asylum. He then had another lawyer look up the records and through him learned that the insane lawyer had failed to file the findings and the final decree. Ordman will apply to Justice Kelly, who granted the interlocutory decree, for judicial relief. Two children have been born to him since his second marriage.

SUFFRAGETTE SCORES HELPLESS BACHELORS

CINCINNATI, Aug. 17.—The bachelors came in for a flaying at the hands of the suffragettes today, when Mrs. Josephine White, of Providence, R. I., a prominent advocate of equal rights for women, charged that bachelors were the chief cause of women's suffrage. Most of them are cranks. She also charged that they are spoiled, as they have too frequently been the petted darling of a misled mother or aunt, and most of them have been conditioned to death. They are forever preaching about woman's place in the world as being at home, but they never stir a hand to put one woman in a home of their own.

ANY MAN WOULD DO THIS FOR \$50,000

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 17.—Dr. Robert P. Brown, a well-known physician, has been offered \$50,000 to perform a surgical operation on a man who has a very rare condition. The man has a very rare condition and the doctor has been offered \$50,000 to perform a surgical operation on him.

Milady Knows

that if she wants to find the most complete assortment of

Correct Apparel for Autumn Wear

She comes here for the new season's style range in this exclusive women's shop is by no means limited.

We are showing models ranging from the most conservative effects to the extreme novelties favored by the stylishly robed misses.

The patterns, colorings and fabrics reflect the latest style word from the foremost fashion authorities of New York and London.

NEW FALL Suits

In Mixtures \$17.50 & Blue Serges \$12.50 and up

LATE CLOTH Coats

In Mixtures \$12.50 and Black \$12.50 and up

Fur Coats

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Gorgeous Millinery

For Fall Wear

Fall Models in Waists

Biggest Line in Oakland Great Assortment of Newest Things

Credit Without Additional Cost

We guarantee our prices to be as low as those of any store selling for cash only. And our terms are made to suit your convenience.

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GHOSTS CAUSE A MUTINY ON SEAS

Crew of British Convict Ship Rebels From Superstitious Fears.

BORTON, Aug. 17.—With her crew on the verge of mutiny because of superstitious fears the British convict ship Succubus has been ordered to return to Borton. When last reported the vessel was 20 miles south of the island and is expected here some time this week.

According to dispatches received from Captain John Scott, the crewing of the Succubus has been one round of wild and superstitious beliefs. The crew, consisting of 100 men and 100 women, are all convicts and the vessel is expected to arrive here some time this week.

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BURGLAR BAFFLED BY NEWFOUNDLAND

Dog Obeys Master's Command and Springs at Armed Footpad.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—"Dora," a Newfoundland dog, owned by William A. Benson, a saloon-keeper, routed three burglars who entered his place at 1710 North Columbus street Saturday night.

Benson was behind the bar cleaning glasses and Dora was near him. A veteran of the civil war sat in a chair in the rear of the saloon. Suddenly the saloon-keeper was startled by a cry of "throw down your arms." Turning about he found a revolver held by one of the hold-up men.

Dog Springs at Man
"Get him Dora," shouted Benson as he ran to the rear of the saloon and opened his living apartment. The dog obeyed and sprang at the armed man with a cry. The other and his companion were frightened and ran from the place with the dog barking at their heels.

Satisfied with the part she had played Dora returned to the saloon, curled up on the floor and fell asleep. When the police arrived Benson gave them a description of the burglars.

Philadelphian Ledger.

DREAMS FIANCE IS IN HOSPITAL

Girl Receives Message From Missing Husband-to-Be Verifying Vision.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 17.—Reese Norling's faith in the return of her missing fiancé, Edward Norling, was verified by a letter and a post card, telling her that he is in a Kansas City hospital, and by a message from the hospital, in which she saw him in a hospital in a strange city.

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COUPLE NOT TO BE SEPARATED

17-Year-Old Bridegroom and
19-Year-Old Bride Have
Parents' Blessing.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Edward J. Elbury, the 17-year-old bridegroom, who in October, 1911, wedded Miss Sadie Reis, two years his senior, and whose parents sued for an annulment of the marriage, is to be allowed to go through life in company with the girl with whom he fled to Bakersfield in a remarkable elopement.

Several days ago the couple appeared before Judge Graham and announced that a reconciliation had been effected and that the parents had withdrawn the protest. Today the father of young Elbury confirmed the latter's statement, and the suit for an annulment was dismissed.

It was after the couple had lived together for six months at the Berkeley apartments in this city that Elbury's mother and father began the suit alleging that he was under age when the ceremony was performed. When questioned as to why they had delayed the action, the statement was made that the young wife had threatened to kill herself if forced to live apart from her husband. Now all is sunshine again and apparently the families of both parties are satisfied.

ARMY CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED

Captain Tobin Relieved From
Duty in Philippine
Islands.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Captain William M. Tobin, quartermaster now on leave of absence at San Francisco, is relieved from duty in the Philippine division, and will report to the commanding general western division for temporary duty.

Second Lieutenant Adna R. Chaffee Jr., 15th cavalry, will report September 1 to Lieutenant Colonel James Lockett, cavalry, unassigned, president of the examining board at Fort Riley, Kansas, for examination to determine his fitness for promotion.

Captain William J. Chason, general staff, will proceed to Iowa Falls, Iowa, and report on August 20 to the commanding general, Central division, and accompany him on the maneuver camp near Fort Leavenworth for the purpose of assisting in the inspection of troops at these places.

First Lieutenant Everett H. Bowman, 4th infantry, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the University of Nebraska, and will proceed to Lincoln for duty accordingly.

Leave of absence for three days is granted Captain Conrad S. Babcock, cavalry.

First Lieutenant Llewellyn P. Williamson, medical corps, is relieved from duty at Fort D. A. Russell upon his return to station from his present field service and will then report to this city and report to the commanding general of the isthmian canal commission for duty with the committee on the isthmus of Panama.

Leave for one month and 15 days, to take effect after the fall maneuvers of the Russian army, is granted Nathan R. Averill, cavalry, unassigned, military corps.

Leave of absence for 15 days, effective August 10, is granted First Lieutenant Truby C. Martin, 1st field artillery.

CITY OFFICIALS FIGHT TO SAVE THEIR SCALPS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—The efforts of Joseph T. McCormick and six other employees of the board of public works to retain the positions in which they were deprived by an order of Mayor Ralph A. Hovey are brought about a lengthy hearing before Superior Judge Sewall this morning. They had obtained a temporary injunction preventing their dismissal and are still holding their jobs. Affidavits were presented in court by the laborers, Michael Casey and Superintendent Owens of the board of works. The opinions of all differed. The secretary of the board declared that the discharge was to take effect a month. Owens asserted that it was at the bottom of it Casey claimed that it is impracticable to use a general foreman as gang foreman. The latter stated that the recommendations of Owens were responsible for the move.

Morse argued before the court that the injunction proceedings were improper and that a writ of mandate should have been obtained. In order that the court may be advised more fully as to the reason for detaining the men a continuance was laid until Monday morning.

KENNETH MILLICAN NOW AGENT FOR VULCAN

Kenneth A. Millican has been appointed special city agent for the Vulcan Fire Insurance company, a recently organized fire insurance company, and will assume his duties Monday at the office in the Post's San Francisco building. Millican has a signed from a position in the leading department of the Frank R. Mott Co. Before his employment by the city of San Francisco he was a city agent for the Vulcan Fire Insurance company.

CONSPIRACY TO ANNEX IS MENACE

Political Combination Could
Bind San Francisco and
Los Angeles.

Two Cities Would Then Be Able
to Control All the
Legislation.

EDITOR TRIBUNE. When the Greater San Francisco Consolidation Association's initiative constitutional amendment, enabling the metropolis to invade four contiguous counties and attempt to annex their populous sections and absorb their political, commercial, revenue-producing and taxable resources to further its own ends exclusively, is carefully studied and analyzed, the political plot incorporated in it assumes colossal proportions and stands forth as a menace of the greatest magnitude to the political interests of the state at large. This is particularly the case when the proposed amendment is considered from the viewpoint of a possible, indeed a probable, political combination being formed between the Greater Los Angeles and the Greater San Francisco, in the event the people adopt it, to control all subsequent legislation for their mutual benefit.

The Greater San Francisco Consolidation Association is, in fact, credited with having negotiated, through its hired agents, a compact with the political leaders of the southern city to that end in return for their support of the initiative amendment.

LOS ANGELES FAVORS.

Los Angeles is said to favor the proposed amendment, because it will enable it to organize a consolidated city and county out of the entire area of Los Angeles county, and, if necessary, grab a section of Orange county, and thus increase its assessable property valuation, so that it can add \$50,000,000 to its bonded indebtedness wherewith to carry out its ambitious schemes of central public improvements. It is to be hoped, for the sake of saving its fair fame, that the more influential citizens of Los Angeles have not entered into such an unholy alliance.

However, assuming that such an alliance has been tentatively formed and copper fastened, and that each of the two cities will succeed in carrying out their respective schemes of expansion, what, we may ask, will be the political effect on the rest of the state?

In the first place, the combined population of the proposed Greater San Francisco and Greater Los Angeles would be equivalent to one-half of the entire population of the state.

IN CONTROL OF ONE-HALF.

In the second place, the two cities would, under the readjustment of the Assembly and Senatorial districts in the state made at the last session of the legislature, control nearly one-half of the legislative representation.

The state Assembly consists of eighty members, the state Senate has a membership of forty.

Greater Los Angeles, if the present county were reorganized as a consolidated city and county under the proposed constitutional amendment, would embrace fifteen Assembly districts and eight Senatorial districts.

Greater San Francisco, if it succeeded in absorbing the territory it covets in Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin and San Mateo counties, would embrace twenty-three Assembly districts and eleven Senatorial districts.

The combination between these two cities in the state legislature would then be as follows:

Assembly, Senate.
Greater Los Angeles... 15 8
Greater San Francisco 23 11

Totals... 38 19

BUT FEW VOTES LACKING.

In other words, these two cities combined would lack only three votes in the Assembly and two votes in the Senate to exercise absolute control of the legislature for the passage of any measure in which they would be mutually interested against the wishes and better interests of the state at large.

A simple trade with three Assemblymen and two Senators from outside districts would turn the trick. Is it desirable by the interior counties and communities that the creation of such a political condition shall be made possible through the adoption of the Greater San Francisco Consolidation Association's initiative constitutional amendment which is to take its place on the November ballot as No. 3?

This condition will surely be created if constitutional amendment No. 3 carries at the coming general election. In the past the people of the state have always revolted against San Francisco's legislative aggressions.

It must be plain to the dustiest intelligence that unless initiative constitutional amendment No. 3 is turned down at the polls in November, the two great centers of population in the state will acquire complete political control and absolutely dominate the interior counties and communities and subordinate their interests in future legislation.

TALIESIN EVANS,
Secretary Alameda County Anti-Annexation League.

CHICAGO-N. Y. FLYER GOES INTO DITCH

FORT WAYNE Ind., Aug. 17.—Pennsylvania railroad train No. 23, west bound, carrying the New York Times and Chicago Herald-Examiner, ran into a ditch in Chicago at 2 p. m. went into the ditch near Middlepoint, Ohio, early today. Three passengers are reported injured, but none were killed.

When the train left the rails, it carried down telegraph poles and available details are meager.

SOUTHERN ALBANIA TO
HAVE BIBLE SCHOOL

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 17.—The American Bible House has obtained permission from the Turkish government to construct a school at Kestel, in Southern Albania. The institution will be under the direction of the Rev. Charles T. Patterson of Chicago, Illinois, who has served as pastor in Seattle.

THE TRIALS OF A TRAVELER

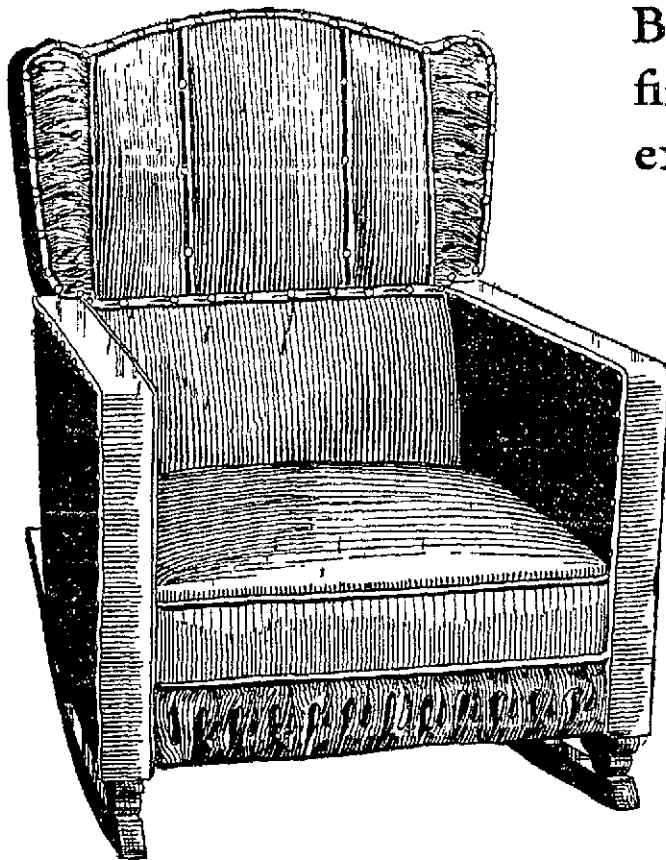
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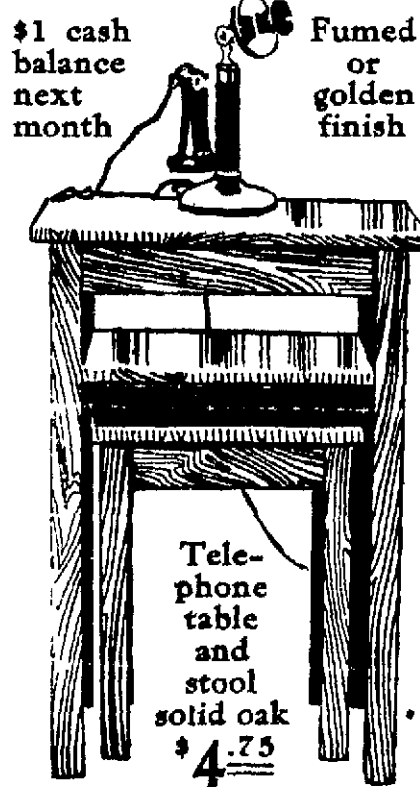
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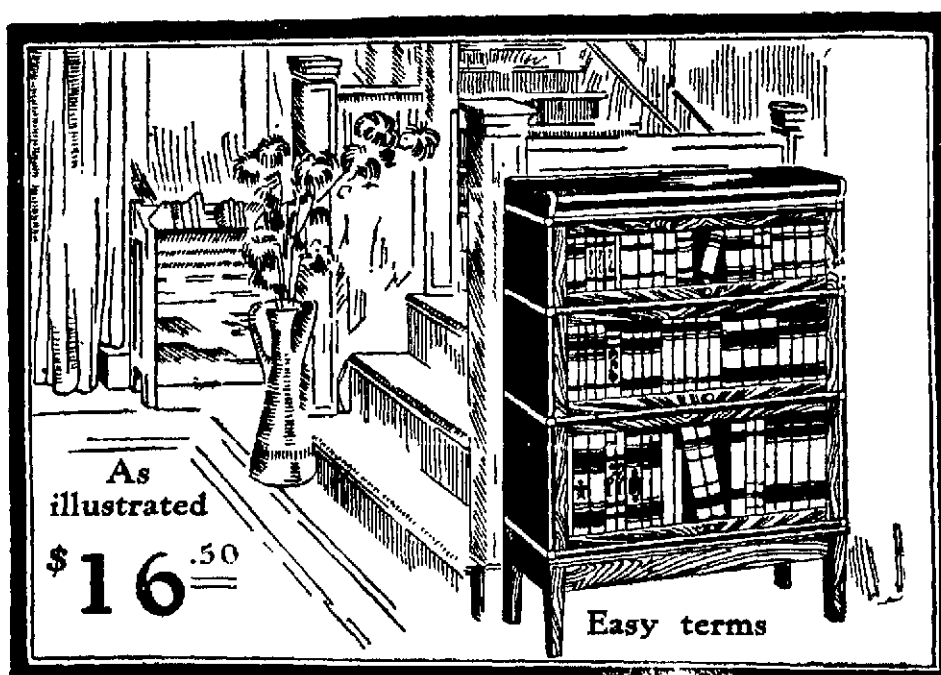
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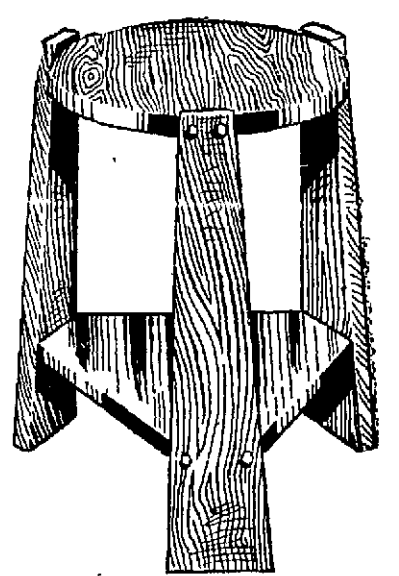


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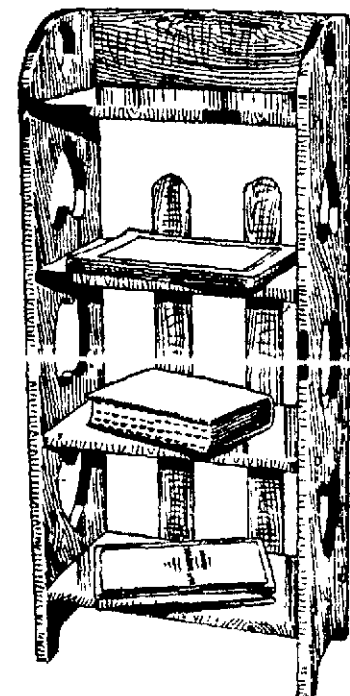
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DEMAND FOR BUSINESS PROPERTY INCREASES

FREIGHT MEN'S VISIT WAS IMPORTANT

Pacific Coast Visitors Received Several Surprises During Sojourn Here.

Trackage, Car Capacity, Shipping and Transbay Travel Eye Openers.

An event of importance in the never-ending campaign of spreading the fame of Oakland was the visit last week of a delegation from the Pacific Coast Freight Agents' Association, now in convention in San Francisco, which crossed the bay Tuesday, was entertained by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon and later made a tour of the city in automobiles. Berkeley was also visited by the party.

This delegation was composed of representatives from every freight distributing center west of the Rocky mountains, from Canada to Mexico. The entertainers were merchants, shippers and manufacturers of Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda, banded together for the purpose of demonstrating to these railroad men the great future in store for Oakland and the east bay cities through the medium of great factories and industrial plants that will grow up on this side of the bay within the next few years.

Already there is a vast amount of products being turned out in Oakland and shipped throughout the world, and the freight men, with their expert knowledge of transportation and their foresight, were astonished beyond measure with the magnificent possibilities the future holds for this community.

SURPRISED AT FACILITIES.

One of the guests remarked forcibly, after the tour was ended, that he had no idea, previously, of the amount of trackage and car capacity of the Oakland terminals, and from the comments of the others it was evident that he was but expressing the ideas of the majority of the party.

All of these men, each trained to look into the future, realize clearly what an important commercial center Oakland is destined to be and they also realize that the time when the city will be a more recognized factor is not far distant.

Two great valleys, the Sacramento and San Joaquin, with their border of mining towns, drain directly into Oakland. Except for the few steamers that land their cargoes on the other side of the bay, the entire volume of products of these wonderfully rich and fertile valleys pours into the freight yards of Oakland for distribution north, south and east, and the amount of cars handled in the yards of the three roads each year is stupendous.

The great sailing ships and steamers coming into San Francisco bay every day in the year from ports thousands of miles away, laden with heavy cargoes, add their quota to the great railroad industry of the east side of the bay, and when the Panama canal is opened the present yards and equipment for the handling of freight will be entirely inadequate. Before that time, however, the railroad companies, reading the handwriting on the wall that was revealed to the agents Tuesday, will be amply able to meet the enormous increase in traffic.

TRANSBAY TRAVEL A REVELATION.

Another thing that impressed the visiting agents was the great interurban electric systems of the Southern Pacific and the Key Route. The Southern Pacific alone carries more passengers to and from San Francisco each year than do the interurban lines running to New York City. Add to these multitudes the hundreds of passengers arriving at all hours on the overland trains and the great crowds traveling via the Key Route and it can be readily seen how it is that more people cross San Francisco bay during the year than cross the "commute" to New York in the same space of time.

As Oakland grows larger the crowds of commuters become correspondingly greater. Ten years ago the Key Route was not built. The Southern Pacific ran its steam trains over shorter and fewer routes. There was no Home-Ship train in those days and the local running out toward Emeryville stopped at Sather. They also ran on a very poor schedule and the cars were fitted up with absolutely no regard for the patrons.

Today there are no steam trains running as locals from Oakland to the ferries. Everything is electricity. The Key Route came first and the Southern Pacific followed, installing new and modern equipment, looking after the welfare of the patrons of the road and doing away with the noise, dust and smoke of the locomotive-drawn trains.

Where there was but one railroad entering Oakland ten years ago there are now three, and electric lines are building throughout the central part of the State with Oakland as their objective point.

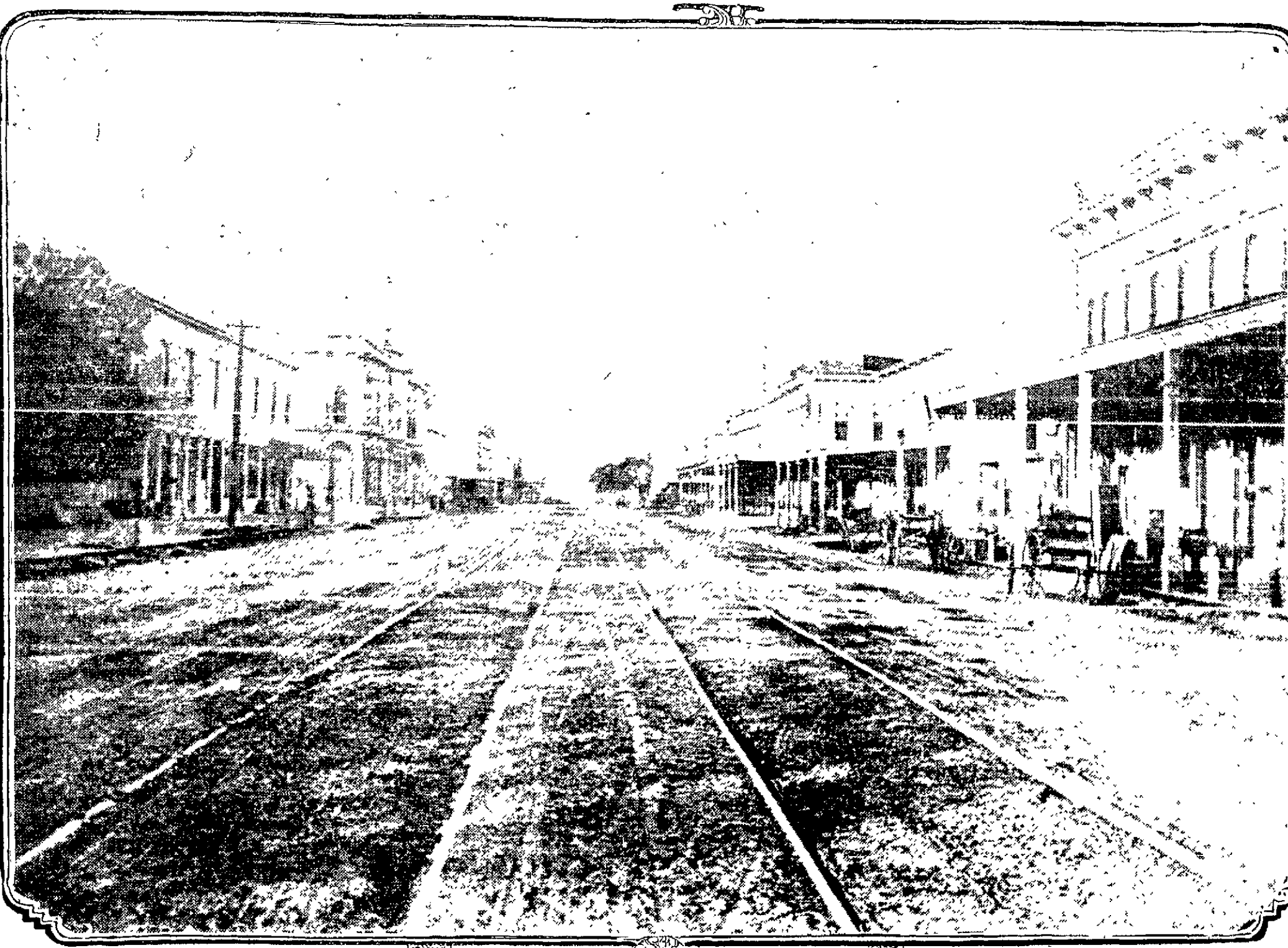
SECOND ADDITION TO RICHMOND PROMISING

RICHMOND, Aug. 17. — With a road running across to North Richmond from the Standard Oil plant and the Southern Pacific loop completed, George S. Wallis, second addition to the city of Richmond, will break the profit record of additions in this city he has already made, making big money for hundreds of customers. It is real estate history here that some of the lots Wallis sold eight years ago for \$250 cannot be bought today for \$15,000. Scores of the biggest industrial plants in Richmond are close to his new addition and more are to be established. Fine oil refineries and cement works are being laid throughout the tract. A center for the rice, sugar, molasses and other products of the city system, will possess an independent supply of the products. A big business district will develop in this tract.

PHOTOS OLD AND NEW MAKE INTERESTING ALBUM

Although the skyscraper has not yet changed the skyline of Broadway below Tenth street, there is an interesting contrast to be found in photos taken of that portion of the main business thoroughfare in 1873 and in 1912.

Much interest is being taken by TRIBUNE readers in the series of old photographs, one of which is published weekly, and many are preserving the reproductions in scrap-books, together with the pictures taken in 1912.



BUTTON, BUTTON, IT WILL HELP 'MY CITY, OAKLAND'

When the Chamber of Commerce of Oakland met last week a suggestion that a button for advertising purposes and bearing the inscription, "My City—Oakland," should be authorized was made by Fred Campbell.

The scheme was referred to the advertising committee of the body for further consideration. Many other cities, especially in the East and Middle West, have been issuing buttons with the names of their localities, brought to strangers' eyes by means of suitable and catchy inscriptions. Several of these cities, especially those that are much smaller than Oakland and were far less known before distribution of the inexpensive buttons.

The use of the button, after it passed the experimental stage, has proved conclusively that the scheme is the product of no idle mind, but that it is a method that reaches thousands of outside people at a minimum cost.

Plans that make a specialty of these buttons have already sent samples of their product to the local Chamber of Commerce.

MAKE IMPROVEMENTS IN CROCKER-AMAZON TRACT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17. — After a thorough inspection of the sewer system of the Crocker Amazon tract by the board of public works a favorable report was made showing that the installation of the system has been such as to fully comply with the city restrictions.

The gas and electric mains will be laid in the next few days in all the streets of the first division of the tract. With the exception of the final macadamizing of the streets this will be the final improvement for the subdivision. The sidewalks and curbs were completed some time ago. Foundations for two new homes were laid in the Crocker Amazon tract this week.



PHOTOGRAPHS OF LOWER BROADWAY, LOOKING SOUTH FROM 10TH ST., TAKEN IN 1873 AND IN 1912

WORK ON ELECTRIC ROAD IS RUSHED

Southern Pacific Line Completed to Center of Havenscourt Tract.

The new Southern Pacific electric line in the east part of the city is being pushed forward at the rate of several hundred feet a day and already the district which is traversed, beginning at East Fourteenth street

and Fifth seventh avenues and running northeastward, is feeling the quickening pulse of real estate activity. The tracks, electric wires and poles on this new line are now laid along Bond street right up to Havenscourt station in the center of the great new property of Wickham Havens, Incorporated.

The new electric line parallels the Foothill boulevard at a distance of one block until it reaches Havenscourt station, and then turns and runs through the well settled part of the city toward San Leandro, while the Foothill boulevard keeps well up in the hills.

Probably no property in this section served by this splendid new electric line has felt the effect of improved transportation service more than

EXTENSION WILL CONNECT CITIES

Street Being Cut Through the Hills Between Rockridge and Claremont.

Groups of people are gathered at the southeast end of Broadway every day to watch the work that is being done in the Rockridge district in laying through the Green Lane boulevard, which will make a short cut

WHEN EYES WERE FIRST TURNED TOWARD HILLS

The movement of home-builders started about twenty years ago when Linda Vista was placed upon the market. There were but few dwellings further east in the Piedmont hills in those days, and Linda Vista was regarded as being a long distance from the close-in districts.

But the advantages and delights of residence in the highlands were made known through the popularity of this new district, which was reached twenty years ago by the Piedmont cable road. One of the advertisements of the first hill tract contained the following:

The altitude insures pure air and perfect drainage facilities, and the temperature averages eight degrees warmer than in Oakland. A number of fine residences have been erected and occupied by purchasers of lots, and the land is sold with restrictions as to the value of buildings, insuring a fine neighborhood.

This was also the beginning of the "building restriction," which encourages the erection of handsome homes in exclusive neighborhoods. The minimum cost of residences when the plan was new here was small as compared with the present restrictions in some of our best districts.

An impression of the remoteness of Linda Vista twenty years ago is indicated by the reference in the advertisement quoted, concerning the temperature of the district, which is declared to be warmer "than in Oakland."

from the foothill district to Berkeley and enhance the values immeasurably all through the Oakland hills. This improvement is to be followed by a cut through the end of Broadway into the foothill district. When this improvement is completed it will have the finest cut road in all the city, and it will be a great benefit to the city and its residents.

FALL ACTIVITY IS ALREADY APPARENT

Non-Resident Capitalists Are Anxious to Invest in This City.

Big Six-story Building to Be Erected by Storage Concern.

Strengthening of the demand for both improved and unimproved inside business property is a tendency of the realty market reported by brokers in advance of the autumn season. That there has been a decided improvement of conditions since the middle of summer is the added statement of the agents, who insist that there is no exaggeration of overabundance of optimism in their report. The demand is said to be about evenly divided among investors and speculative buyers.

Non-resident capitalists are largely in evidence among those who would put their money into Oakland real estate. Their orders are kept standing in the local brokers' offices and those who are accommodated consider themselves fortunate.

There is an accompanying demand for business quarters by old and new merchants, which increases the value of property in the retail and wholesale districts.

DEALS PENDING.

Several large deals in business property are reported to be under way and a successful termination is expected at an early date.

There is never much fluctuation in the extent of trading in residence property in Oakland. In all seasons the sales are numerous, and building shows the same activity.

An important step in the improvement of the western waterfront taken during the last week was the calling by the city council of bids for the construction of a freight extension of Fourteenth street to the rock wall and levee in the Key Route basin. The freight, which is to cost \$27,000, will provide an approach to the apron wharves being built on the western waterfront.

Tomorrow the schools of Oakland are to open and with the return of families who have been absent from the city during the summer and with the coming of new families to the city there has been a lively business in house renting and in the sale of residence property.

Bank clearings in this city for the week ending August 15 totaled \$3,588,520, which is an increase of 4.6 per cent over the corresponding week of last year.

The market for farming land in the western end of Alameda county is exhibiting a condition similar to that for Oakland business property. The scarcity is marked.

According to R. C. McHenry, who deals in farm properties, the owners of land between Oakland and Hayward are a contented lot, not troubled with no innumerable on their farms and are realizing good profits. As a result there are practically no "For Sale" signs noticeable about the little country places in the vicinity because they are not asked for loans. The farmers seem to have all the money they need.

TO ERECT 6-STORY BUILDING.

D. P. Minney reports the sale of a lot 100x150 feet on Grove street, 116 feet south of Twenty-third street, for the account of Mrs. Jones, et al, to the John Van and Storage Co., which purchased the property for its own use and expects to construct a class A fireproof building, not less than six stories in height, covering practically the entire lot. The company will occupy the ground on its business has outgrown the present quarters. The new building will add materially to the business appearance of this street. The price obtained for the property was approximately \$25,000. Minney is a stockholder in business building.

Further development of Oakland's extensive public park system, which is to be one of the finest in the West, was provided for during the week by the city council, which passed to print an ordinance appropriating \$11,000 for the purchase of two park sites, one at Thirty-second and Union streets and the other at West and Grove streets. The former is on the edge of the Santa Fe tracts in North Oakland and will be of great benefit to residents, young and old, of that fast growing section. The Thirty-second and Union streets park will supply the neighborhood recreation demands of many parts of the city.

Further action of the city council in conjunction with costly private enterprise was the endorsement by the city authorities of a request to the war department for a request to the war department for permission to extend the sidewalk from the end of the railroad tracks about one mile further than the present permit provides for. More than \$15,000 will be required by the city and corporation in its transportation work and warehousing plans for the development of its properties on the western waterfront. This expenditure in conjunction with the purchase of the land by the city for big house sites and the laying of sewer wharves will result in a great improvement in the city and its residents.

The city is also planning to lay out a new park in the white meat of the western front.

BUSINESS SECTION
TO BE EXPANDED

Notable Development Is Projected for Main Street of Berkeley.

BERKELEY, Aug. 17.—The improvement of Shattuck avenue and the projected increase in the importance of Alston way is considered by local realty men and capitalists to be the most notable development in the city. The city attorney is expected to issue a permit for the widening of the Shattuck avenue from the city limits to the intersection of the city limits and the city limits. The widening of the Shattuck avenue is expected to be completed by the city limits and the city limits. The widening of the Shattuck avenue is expected to be completed by the city limits and the city limits.

Among the new structures of importance announced during the week is the apartment house of Mrs. H. J. Merritt, which she has started on Alston street, 112 feet north of Shattuck avenue. The building is to be a three-story structure, with a total of 100 apartments. The building is to be completed by the city limits and the city limits.

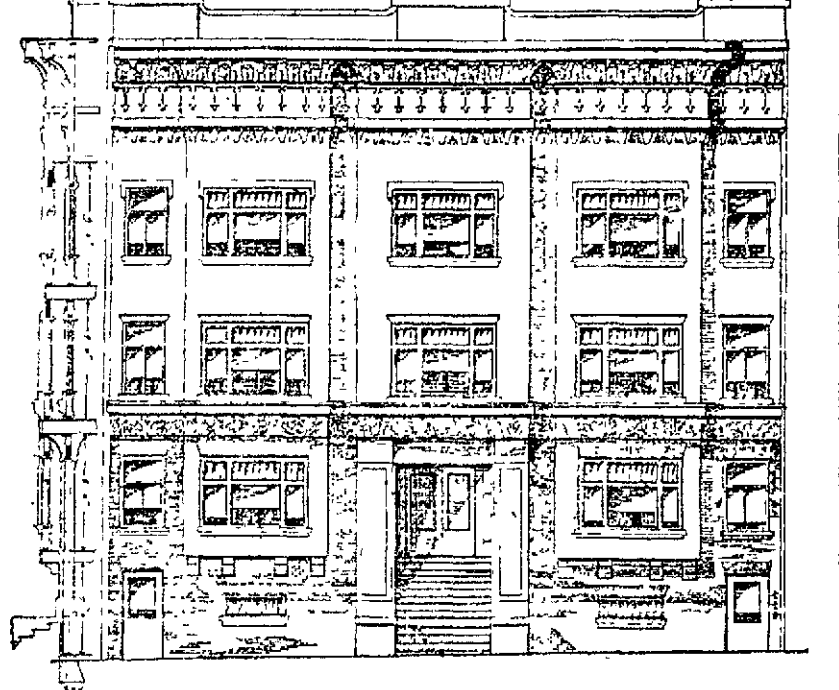
NEW SCALE OF COMMISSIONS.
The new scale of prices for realty deals in this city, adopted in March by the Berkeley Real Estate Exchange, will be in effect from October 1, and is identical with the Oakland scale. It is expected that the scale will be in effect from October 1, and is identical with the Oakland scale.

Among the building permits of recent issue from the building inspector's office are the following: One-story fire room residence, west side of Shattuck avenue, 87 feet south of Channing way; Peake-Murphy Company, owner; \$1800.

Two-story seven-room residence, north side of Forest avenue, 184 feet west of Piedmont street; A. W. Bonner, owner and builder; \$2400.

FORMER LOCAL PASTOR BUYS A FINE HOME
An elegant 10-room bungalow with 60 acres of land and located in Los Gatos, has just been sold through the office of George W. Austin for William W. Bruner to Rev. E. B. Baker, who will occupy the same as a permanent home.

TO BUILD NEW APARTMENT HOUSE IN LAKESIDE DISTRICT



APARTMENT HOUSE TO BE BUILT ON LAKE STREET FOR C. A. JOHNSON, WHO HAS ALREADY LEASED IT.

Plans and specifications for the erection of an apartment house of three stories and to cost \$40,000 has been completed by Architect Morgan. The building is to be modern and complete in every respect. It will be equipped with steam heat, gas, electricity and vacuum cleaners. The exterior of the building will be finished in stone, brick, terra cotta, cement and plaster.

ENTICED CHICKENS FROM THEIR HOME
Caught 'Em, Cooked 'Em and Fed 'Em to the Parson.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 17.—May one legally eat his neighbor's chicken if it flies over the fence?

Justice Tatem of Camden was asked to decide yesterday in the case of John Gladson, of Eighteenth and Mulford streets, who was charged with stealing the chickens of Harry Shane.

Gladson was arrested on a charge of making a pot stew of a particular hen. He admitted the accusation and said he had the hen for Sunday dinner when his pastor was there. He also declared the hen came over the fence from Shane's yard.

"If the parson was there, it was all right to cook the hen, especially if it came over the fence," declared the justice, and he was about to discharge Gladson when Shane said this was not the first offense, and Gladson had thrown corn on the pavement to entice the chickens from home.

"That puts another face on the case," declared the justice, and despite Gladson's assertion that he did this only on Sundays, when the parson came for dinner, the justice required him to furnish \$100 bail not to repeat the offense.

WEEK'S BUILDING TOTALS \$122,000

\$25,000 to Be Spent for the Erection of Piedmont Avenue Apartment House.

Building permits involving a construction cost of \$122,334.75 were issued by the department of licenses and permits during the week ending last Wednesday. The largest single permit was for a three-story thirty-room apartment and store building, to be erected by George W. Peckham at the southeast corner of Piedmont and Glenwood avenues at a cost of \$25,000. Permits for sixteen one-story dwellings were issued.

The permits in detail follow: Carl Anderson, 1-story 6-room dwelling, east side Courtland avenue, 70 feet south of Congress; \$1800.

Charles A. Rudolph, 1-story warehouse, south side Eighty-sixth avenue, 50 feet west of East Fourth street; \$1500.

Charles A. Rudolph, alterations, 618 Poplar street; \$800.

Charles A. Rudolph, alterations, 464 Sixty-fifth street; \$800.

Charles A. Rudolph, alterations, 988 Fifty-first street; \$800.

Charles A. Rudolph, alterations, 419-21 Tenth street; \$800.

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OAKLAND REALTY MEN REPORT MANY SALES

Deaths to the number of 276 were filed at the office of County Recorder G. W. Bacon during the week ending August 15, as compared with 460 the preceding week. The loaning business, as shown by the mortgages and trust deeds recorded, amounted to \$481,619. The documents of all kinds recorded during the week ending August 15 numbered 818, and the total revenue \$123,355, as compared with 808 documents during the same week in 1911, when the revenue amounted to \$120,212.

This week's sales made by George W. Austin are as follows: Business building known as the Bon Ton block, corner of One Hundredth and East Fourteenth streets, Elmhurst, for E. M. Cox to J. M. Anderson.

House and lot, 15 Prospect street, San Francisco, for R. H. Ellis to E. Morris Cox, assistant superintendent of Oakland schools.

House and lot on the south side of Third street, between Adelina and Magnolia streets, for William Austin to Pietro Perata.

House and lot on the north side of Fifty-second street, east of Grove, for Cora K. Wycoff to Walter H. Schmitt.

House and lot on Heien street, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets, for B. Axel Orlen to Lydia J. Bunker.

Dungelow on the north side of Fifty-fifth street, just west of Shattuck avenue, to Jonas Hedquist.

Fourteen acres near Lafayette, for R. W. French to Captain Maloney.

House and lot on south side of East Fifteenth street, between Twenty-

fourth and Twenty-fifth avenues, for Mrs. Adeline H. Brown to Joseph V. Buss.

Building and lot on Fourteenth avenue near East Twelfth street, to L. M. Cox.

The Realty, Bonds and Finance company report the following recent sales: 18 acres alfalfa land, Contra Costa county, M. Berlingham to Orwood Land Co. Terms private.

267 acres unclaimed land in San Joaquin Delta; H. Eppinger, Jr., to H. Humann. Consideration \$90,000.

118 acres alfalfa land, Contra Costa county, C. A. Richardson to Orwood Land Co. Terms private.

120 acres alfalfa land, Contra Costa county, for C. L. Thompson. Consideration \$12,500.

Little less than 800-foot frontage, Fairview tract, Piedmont, Nat. M. Croyle to George H. S. Haly. Consideration \$35,000.

137 acres, near Hayward, Eden Land Co. to J. K. Durill. Terms private.

South side of Fifteenth street, near Jefferson; McKenzie to Pelletier, \$18,000. House tract, to Becker & Ellet. Consideration \$40,000.

Lot 31x110 on the north side of Santa Clara avenue, near Jean street; five-room house to Mrs. Anna Fleming. Consideration \$4,500.

Lot 4x125, east side of Walker avenue, near Pauline way, a new room, cement exterior home, to Mrs. Margaret McMillan of Klamath Falls, Oregon. Price approximately \$7500.

Lot 50x110, east side of College avenue, 100 feet south of Harvard; to G. A. Albert of Stockton, Cal. Consideration \$3500.

Southwest corner of Fifth avenue and East Fifteenth street, being 100x115, to Martin H. Turner, for immediate improvement with flats. Price about \$4000.

Lot 60x165, Mandana boulevard, East Piedmont Heights tract; to J. H. Suelberger. Price \$2500.

Lot 45x158, Mandana boulevard, East Piedmont Heights tract; to Fred Wood. Price \$2500.

Northwest corner Calmar and Santa Ray avenue; to F. Muller; \$5000.

Lot 60x160, Calmar avenue; to G. C. Hume; \$2500.

BEGIN WORK ON AMUSEMENT PARK

Old Buildings Are Being Torn Down in Neptune Gardens Property.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 17.—The old buildings in the Neptune Gardens property are being removed preparatory to starting work on the new amusement project being promoted by the Neptune Gardens Amusement Company. The Alameda stock subscriptions will be called in soon, according to report.

City Engineer J. N. Chapman is still busy with plans for the last electric district in the city. The plans will be ready for the council to adopt soon. The work of installing the lights will take months and it is expected that it will be the first of 1913 before the last district installation work is completed.

Three new avenues are to be added to the city's thoroughfares with the subdividing of the 25-acre Gibbons tract in East Alameda by the new purchasers. The tract will provide between 200 and 300 high class building lots, with canal frontage on the north and east.

Work is being actively prosecuted on the new theater being constructed by the Tucker estate. The new theater will be ready for opening late in the fall.

E. J. King & Co. of Oakland have a grading outfit at work on the postoffice site excavating for the postoffice foundation and basement floor.

OCTOGENARIAN IS WED TO 'SWEETHEART' OF 68

PITTSBURG, Aug. 17.—After a courtship of three weeks, George W. Swank, 53 years old, a wealthy merchant of Swank, and Mrs. Anna Dole, 68, of the same town, decided to be married. When the couple went to Walter Niven, license clerk, and stated their mission, the clerk, thinking he had misunderstood them asked:

"Who is the license for, please?" The aged man, his face all aglow, replied:

"Me and my sweetheart here."

When the license had been obtained the couple were ushered into the office of Justice George Church and were united in marriage.

At his place of business after the ceremony Mr. Swank:

"I don't know whether you would call it a romance, but as far as we are concerned it was love at first sight."

Just The Kind of proposition we need

KENSINGTON PARK

10% CASH BALANCE SMALL MONTHLY PAYMENTS

In the Lower Berkeley Foothills IS THE PLACE

Where climatic conditions are the best—the views most extended. Where transportation facilities are ideal; streets all tree and flower-bordered, and where

Prices Are Moderate

YOU ARE PARTICULARLY URGED TO VISIT

KENSINGTON PARK TODAY

And see for yourself the character of street work already installed—also the class of homes now in course of construction in this beautiful tract.

A MARINE PANORAMA

Including from East Oakland to San Pablo, is enjoyed from practically every lot in this park.

TAKE ARLINGTON AVENUE CARS

THE SCENIC ROUTE OF NORTH BERKELEY. Leaving University and Shattuck avenues, Berkeley at 7, 27, and 47 minutes after the hour.

DODGE VER MEHR CO.

2015 Shattuck Ave., Berkeley. Telephone Berk. 3358

UP-TO-DATE DRESS IS TABOOED FOR OMAHA

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 17.—The young men of Omaha are to be protected from the alleged suggestive dresses now worn by up-to-date women. Women's club has entered the lists as a masculine protector and is going to make an effort to create public sentiment as to effect a change in the styles. The campaign against modern tight dresses will not begin until September and in the meantime when the Omaha men go out on the street, they will be expected to cover their faces or wear blinders.

"Not so much for the good of the women themselves, as for the sake of the men," said one of the members, to another one who was not aware of the meaning of the campaign of that sort.

The "antit" worn the day, however, and the campaign is all mapped out. All the dressmakers in town will be visited by a committee and will be asked to discourage the making of certain dresses. The merchants will be implored not to sell about the new styles, which is objectionable women's clothing, which is objectionable to men.

Not Cheap. But Low Priced

Crocker Amazon Lots

offer the investor of today a money-making opportunity. \$5 secures a lot Sunday. Take Mission st. car to Geneva ave. Sales office on corner.

CROCKER ESTATE CO. Owner. 822 Crocker Building

ROCKRIDGE

EVERY foot of the new asphalt paving to be laid immediately on Broadway from Piedmont avenue to the Country Club will advance values in Rockridge tremendously.

When Broadway, the chief thoroughfare of Oakland, is extended through the foothills, Oakland will have the most wonderful scenic boulevard in the world.

Rockridge, right on that boulevard, flanked on three sides by the Claremont Country Club, forever protecting the neighborhood.

Rockridge with the severest restrictions ever placed on any foothill residence park.

Rockridge with a scheme of parks and architectural features, forming a splendid approach to every home.

Rockridge, conceded to be the finest example of group building in America.

Rockridge—such a Rockridge—is the best investment in California today.

Property on both sides of Rockridge sells at \$80. a foot.

Rockridge land can be bought today from \$20 to \$35.

Rockridge is the most beautiful gardenized foothill park on the Pacific Coast—A picture worth seeing.

Go out to Rockridge today!

Take the College Ave. car to the Claremont Country Club and transfer there to the Rockridge line direct to Rockridge.

LAYMANCE Real Estate Co.

1432 Broadway Oakland, Cal.

\$100, \$500 or \$1,000

Will buy a FIRST MORTGAGE CERTIFICATE

Paying 5 to 5 1/2% Per Annum

Each mortgage is secured by at least twice its face value and all details of title, payment of interest and principal are absolutely guaranteed by this Company.

Each Certificate Certified by Mercantile Trust Company

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We have \$800,000.00 loan on Improved City Property.

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Now Located in Their New Office 784 MARKET STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. Call or Write for Booklet

HOUSES TO LET

FURNISHED

A-1 FOR RENT or lease, beautiful furnished 8-room house, steam heated; polished floors, 6 baths, garage, pool, garden. 412 20th St. near Grove.

A COTTAGE of 5 rooms and bath completely furnished; modern, rent reasonable. 350 Hanover, near Newton ave.

ALL or part 5-room cottage, reasonable. 4804 Webster st. Phone 4851.

BEAUTIFUL, modern 8-room house, partly furnished with furniture, large grounds, garage, front trees and chicken house; water plant; near S. P. station; cheap to steady tenant. Phone 1212.

BEAUTIFUL colonial house, 8 rooms, fully furnished, hardwood floors, garage, sleeping porch, piano; near Key Route; reasonable. 474 44th.

EDGEMOOR 4 rooms and bath, sleeping porch, nice garden, 733 Central ave. Alameda.

COZY 3-room furnished cottage for rent, 317 Kates ave., near Brighton; close to E. 12th and 13th; Albany, reference required.

COMPLETELY furnished private, modern, sunny 5-room cottage; piano; going South; \$30. 1376 E. 27th st.; Diamond car.

COTTAGE, five rooms, nicely furnished; near Key Route; phone 1011; Grove st.

FOR RENT for a term of months to responsible party, \$100 a month, no small children, nicely furnished, modern 7-room house, 12th and Broadway. Address owner, Box 4437, Tribune.

FOR RENT—\$35, furnished, in Piedmont, 10-room corner house, one block from car; furniture, garage; nicely furnished; hardwood floors, baby grand piano. Phone 4675.

FOR RENT—Beautiful furnished 6 or 7-room house, 12th and Broadway, near Key Route; garage, garden, piano; rent reasonable. 612 25th, near Grove st.

FURNISHED house of 7 rooms and sleeping porch. Phone 4675.

FOUR-ROOM cottage, \$15 month; one block from car. 1234 8th st.

FIVE-ROOM furnished cottage; cheap rent. 2266 Locksley, near 55th.

SIX-ROOM bungalow with garage, located convenient to S. P. trains; 1318 Prince st., cor. of Hurper, near Ashby station; will rent furnished or unfurnished; references required. Phone Berkeley 5112.

SUNNY 3-room room cottage, furnished; gas range; \$16. 835 28th st., near San Pablo.

THE show place of Ala. on the bay; electrically furnished 2 rooms, 2 baths, 2 cars; beautiful grounds. Phone Ala. 1131.

TEN-ROOM furnished house, close in; everything in good condition. Phone Oakland 4311.

TWO-ROOM cottage, furnished; coal stove and gas; front yard, \$12 a month. 168 5th st.

THREE-ROOM furnished cottage; rent reasonable. 834 15th st., in rear.

UNTIL Dec. 15th; furnished bungalow; three large bedrooms, sleeping porch, sun porch, beautiful lawn and garden, piano and automatic heater; \$85 a month. 108 Market, Ala. Piedmont; phone 2765.

8-ROOM, elegantly furnished house to desirable party; also 3-room bungalow in rear. 1020 8th st.; Oakland 7079.

8 ROOMS, modern; \$22.50, including water, gas. Take 8th ave. car; 7354 E. 28th st.

603 GROVE ST., a nicely furnished cottage; apply on premises.

HOUSES TO LET

UNFURNISHED

A FIVE-ROOM cottage at Agate and Grove st.; large yard and drive; rent \$10. Call at 899 88th st.

BRUNER'S—OAKLAND, 18th and Franklin.

New 5-room cottage in the Fruitvale district; modern in all ways; gas and electricity; large yard; handy to locals and car lines; rent \$17.

Situated in the beautiful Piedmont district, very modern 6-room bungalow; grand view, large yard, handy to car lines, surrounded by beautiful homes; a snap at \$31.

Sunny 5-room cottage in good location, handy to car lines; open fireplace, paneled walls, large closet, plenty of light and yard, every room flooded in light and sun; yours for \$22.50, water free.

Very modern 5-room cottage in Alameda, close to locals and car lines; every room flooded in sun and light; very large yard; a big snap at \$22.50.

A big snap in a shingled bungalow, in good location; very large open fireplace, paneled walls, built-in bookcases and auto heater; large closet, plenty of light and yard, handy to Key Route and car lines; rent right at \$24.

Only a short ride to center of town, beautiful 5-room new bungalow; hardwood floors, large open fireplace, heavy beamed ceilings, paneled walls, bedrooms painted white, large closet, kitchen, large yard, large yard, large yard; rent right, only \$27.50.

Just finished, very well 6-room cottage in fine location; handy to car lines and Key Route; large open fireplace, hardwood floors, paneled walls, large closet, plenty of sun and light, large yard, a big bargain in all ways; rent only \$30.

Just listed, never before lived in, very modern 8-room cottage on car line, fine location, large open fireplace, hardwood floors, large closet, plenty of sun and light and good-sized yard; rent to good party for \$30.

Only for our large, free renting flat. BRUNER'S—OAKLAND.

FOR RENT—New 6-room bungalow and sleeping porch; hardwood floor, auto drive; house has just been finished; near College ave. and 12th St. near Key Route; phone 4851.

FOR RENT—Cheap, three-room house, with chicken house, with large lot, near Key Route. Apply 567 48th st.

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COTTAGES, FLATS AND HOUSES FOR RENT BY JACKSON FURNITURE CO.

\$15—3-room rough rustic bungalow, bath, electric lights, nice open fireplace, in A-1 condition; has nice garden and is close to one of the best bus lines.

\$20—5-room cottage, on large sunny lot in East Oakland, situated on high ground. Slightly more than \$100.

\$22—4-room apartment bungalow, near Lake Merritt, very modern and in good condition; large yard, hard and flower.

\$25—5-room shingled bungalow, close to Key Route. On sunny side of street. All in first-class condition and modern.

\$30—5-room shingled bungalow, in select neighborhood, with modern view. High paneled walls, finished kitchen, large fireplace, large brick fireplace. Close to city trains.

\$32—6-room shingled bungalow, with modern view, large lawn, close to Key Route. Hardwood floors, built-in bookcases, china cabinet, kitchen, cement wash trays. Close to city trains.

\$35—6-room shingled bungalow, with modern view, large lawn, close to Key Route. Hardwood floors, built-in bookcases, china cabinet, kitchen, cement wash trays. Close to city trains.

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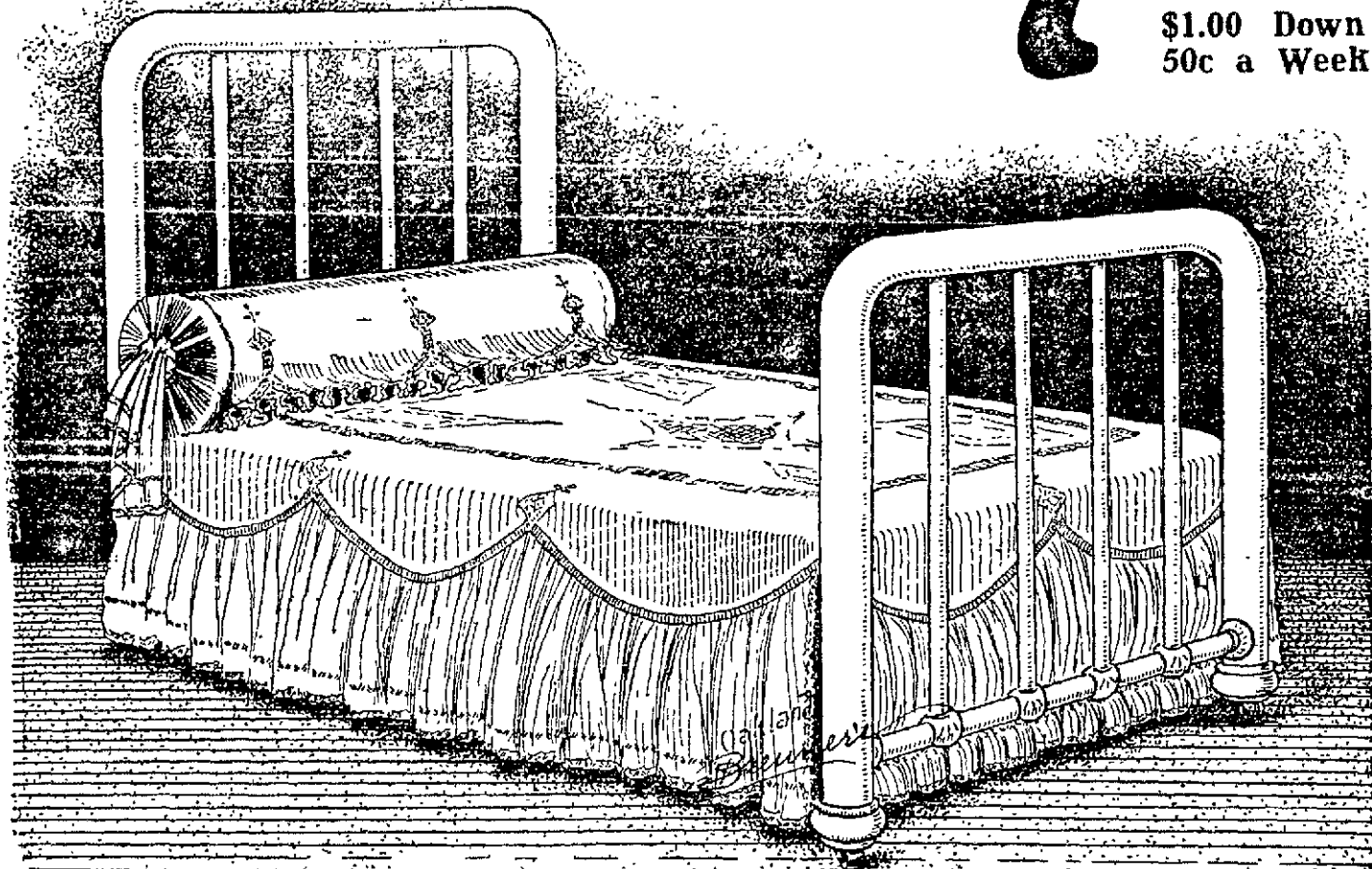
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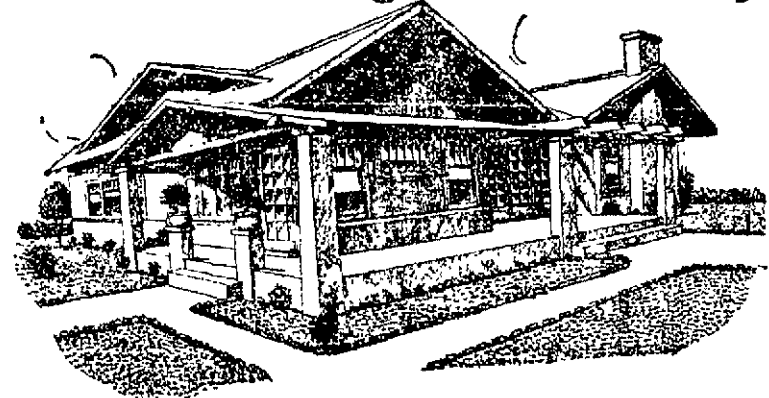
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ACCUSED OF GRAND LARCENY BY GIRL

**A. F. MacFarland Is Charged
With Taking \$10,000 by
Supposed Wife.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Andrew F. MacFarland, accused by Miss Ethel Groome of grand larceny for the alleged appropriation of \$10,000 which the young woman had in a safe deposit box, will be tried on September 4, Superior Judge Trabucco set the date for the hearing today. MacFarland was once before placed on trial for the offense but the jury disagreed. Miss Groome, who was a stenographer in MacFarland's office, married him, only to learn subsequently that he had a wife living in the East from whom he had not been divorced. An annulment was obtained and Miss Groome asserts that the \$10,000 was given her as a present and that MacFarland took it when he went east to meet the other wife. MacFarland is a broker well known here and in New York and Chicago.

BURGARS STEAL CLOTHES.
Burgars broke into the premises of George Heineke of the Wardrobe, 1819 San Pablo avenue, Friday night by picking the lock of the front door and stole two suits of clothes, valued at \$30.

FRANK W. BILGER LUNCHEON GUEST

**Manufacturers' Committee of
Chamber of Commerce Sits
at Festive Board.**

The manufacturers' committee of the Chamber of Commerce gave a luncheon and informal reception in honor of Frank W. Bilger yesterday afternoon at the St. Mark hotel cafe. Following the luncheon addresses were made by A. C. Irving, J. W. Phillips, J. A. Vandergrift, Fred Parsons and A. Wareskjold. M. L. Hadley acted as toastmaster.

The names of those present follow: John A. Fenton, J. A. Vandergrift, George J. King, J. S. Kenny, R. S. Young, E. D. Alton, H. H. Jackson, O. S. Orrick, Jr., J. G. Brinwell, Thomas Booth, W. A. Sturgees, E. Weill, J. H. Parks, W. H. Oliver, R. H. Marchant, G. N. Otko, H. H. Borchert, J. M. Brown, L. C. Lewis, J. M. Montgomery, F. D. Parsons, R. H. Conrad, H. E. Sherman, Jr., W. R. Sherwood, P. A. Henderson, B. A. Aldrich, F. W. Bilger, A. H. Irving, J. W. Phillips, M. L. Hadley and A. Wareskjold.

DIVINE SCIENCE.
Divine Science services will be held at Upper Starling Hall, Fourteenth and Castro streets, today at 11 a. m.

AT THE NATION'S CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—"If the tariff is made the issue—and there appears to be no doubt that it will be the issue—Ohio will give a substantial plurality for President Taft, in my judgment," said Joseph E. Blackburn of Columbus, formerly dairy and food commissioner of Ohio. "Never in the history of the state, I think, has Ohio gone Democratic when the voters were called upon to choose between a protective tariff, as advocated by the Republican party, and a horizontal reduction, or a tariff-for-revenue-only proposition, advocated by the Democrats."

"There appears to be in Ohio a clearing up of things. The first opinion of the 'bull moose' and radical elements of the Republican party is about ended, and the voters are beginning to think. I believe firmly that the sober second thought of the American people, as Chairman Hillis has said, will find that President Taft is the choice of a majority of the voters of this country. I am not familiar with political conditions in other states, and my opinion as to the situation in Ohio may not be worth anything, but from what I have observed and heard there is now going on a very decided change of sentiment, and it is all in favor of the President."

"The farmers of Ohio will support the President. Ohio is one of the largest wool-growing states in the Union. I remember when Ohio produced 40 per cent of all the wool in the country. Scarcely a farmer in the state but has a flock of sheep, and the proposition of the Democrats to reduce the duty so that it would make sheep raising absolutely unprofitable, you may be sure, will not win the Democratic candidate any votes among the agricultural class. I do not think the bull moose party is going to cut any very great figure in Ohio. I honestly believe that Taft will be re-elected. He ought to be."

NEWSPAPER MEN IN POLITICS.
The newspaper man is doing very well in politics these days, remarked F. M. Deal, an old-time newspaper reporter, of Lancaster, O. Deal for several years was correspondent in Washington for several Western newspapers.

"When I first came to Washington," continued Deal, "it was hardly the place to give newspaper men high office, and the few who were honored went abroad as consuls. It was worth while to be consul when the fees went into the consul's own pockets instead of the treasury. Now the newspaper correspondent who makes good as a political writer does not stop short of a cabinet office, or mightier near it."

"There is Hillis, chairman of the national committee, who comes from Ohio town of Barnesville. Few persons know him as a newspaper man, but he takes pains to tell in his official biography that for two years he was editor of a paper in Lancaster. Jimmy Reynolds, secretary of the national committee, was a newspaper man and his first work in Washington was the reporting of the Breckinridge trial in 1894. 'Dove' Barry, once the head of a New York bureau here, is the press agent for the Taft campaign. Bailey and Sherman Allen, high up in the treasury, were Washington newspaper men, and so was Francis Tompkins, who is the right-hand man of Chairman McCombs for many years has been a Washington correspondent. Elmer Loring, who was secretary of the Republican national committee when Mark Hanna was in charge, was a newspaper man, as was 'Bob' Wenne, former Postmaster in Deal. And there are others."

GOOD ROADS PROJECT.
The U. S. War and Navy departments are working on a good roads project that will interest all automobilists. He said: "My business for the past five years has required me to travel through many states, and about 50,000 miles of this traveling has been done by automobile. It is worth while to be interested in the transcontinental motorway, and said that the project, which has now been brought into practical form, is to build the motorway from New York to San Francisco. He said that the highway should not simply be started by building at one end and build to the other, but to build the road in sections. The first sections will be built in localities where the greatest demand and support can be found. Wherever the plan has been discussed, both in the East and West, it has met with approval."

Many prominent highway engineers have agreed that the problem of road maintenance will never be solved satisfactorily until steel and rubber tired vehicles come to use the same road surface. If the proposed highway is built, no vehicle except rubber-tired ones will be allowed to use the road.

Wadsworth said that it has been recognized in the completion of this plan that the cost of construction would be very great. Engineers' estimates in the different states to be traversed have been obtained. The bureau of public highways of the Agricultural Department has furnished statistical information for the plan, and other points with the road's construction.

The financial plan has been worked out and submitted to experts, whose reports on it are that the entire project offers exceptional opportunities from a business standpoint. It is not intended to build the motorway through large cities, but to connect at the outskirts with boulevards or parkways. It will touch New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, Denver, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

The motorway will be 60 feet wide and will have 100 feet right-of-way.

AUTOS AND RAILROADS.
Automobiles are cutting into railroad traffic in a way that worries some of the traffic managers of the big railroad companies," said C. M. Collins, a railroad man of Atlanta, Georgia.

The remark was prompted by the arrival of an automobile touring party at the Raleigh, composed of several persons.

"Increase in the traffic of the big railroads has not been correspondingly as large in the last two or three years as it was before that time," continued Collins. "Our traffic managers have sought all sorts of excuses for explanation of the falling off in travel, and the favorite and principal one was that the bull in business was the reason. Now they have just come to the realization that the automobile has been cutting into their business."

"I suppose every motorist in every big city east and west has one or two automobiles touring parties every day or two. Take for example the present instance. There are half a dozen persons who have come all the way across the eastern part of the United States in a touring car. The combined railroad fare of these people would be considerable of an item in making up the expenses of a luxurious tourist trip. It is cheaper, doubtless, to travel in this way, and generally looked upon as more pleasant, but I venture to say that the touring fad will be of only short duration."

"Traveling by automobile may be much more beautiful than the old-fashioned stagecoach, but it is not nearly so comfortable or lazy, perhaps one may call it as 'railroad travel,' where one can lounge in a luxuriant tourist car and watch the swiftly moving landscapes or read a favorite book."

JOB WELL EARNED.
Acceptance of the present appointment of a man of Ohio men to Federal office as James A. Tilton, of Columbus, a law clerk in the Western land office, is a well-earned honor, said Tilton.

Some years ago, said Tilton,

VACATION EVENING SCHOOL IS CLOSED

**Ten Weeks' Work at the High
School Has Been Great
Success.**

The vacation evening school, which was conducted at the Oakland high school building during the vacation just passed, closed its ten weeks' work last night. C. N. Shane, principal of the Central evening school, reports a satisfactory term's work. J. H. Allen, a regular teacher in the department, was in direct charge. The experiment has proven very successful. Fifty-six students enrolled with a daily average of twenty-nine. The plan of conducting a vacation evening school was initiated by the board of education as an experiment.

Several of the students of the Central evening school had asked the board for a continuation of their work during the vacation with the result that their request was granted. Such satisfactory results have been obtained that it will probably be the policy of the board to enlarge the work another year.

SUISUN FRUIT GROWER DIES OF HIS INJURIES

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—W. H. Morrison, a wealthy fruit grower of Suisun, who was injured several days ago in Solano county, died today at the Lane Hospital. Morrison and a companion were riding in his machine when the car pitched over an embankment. His companion escaped injury but the fruit grower was severely hurt and was unable to rally from the numerous wounds received.

"When Joseph B. Foraker was governor of Ohio, he was importuned by a faithful follower to appoint him to a State position. The fellow was so insistent that finally Governor Foraker gave up a position and signed the commission. Some time went by, and one day the Governor saw this appointee lounging lazily in the lobby of one of the leading hotels of Columbus. Naturally, his curiosity was aroused."

"What thought you were working?" said the Governor.

"So I am," was the reply.

"Well, you seem to be having a pretty easy time of it. I gave you the appointment you have in order that you might go to work."

"Never mind," Governor, came the reply, "I had to work so hard to get this job, that I don't think I should be called upon to do anything after I have got it."

Wonderful Treatment for Corns, Callouses and All Sore Feet.

Millions of people who endure daily torture from corns, callouses and all sore feet, are now being relieved by a simple treatment that positively and quickly cures foot ailments of all kinds. You can save good-bye to corns and callouses, bunions, swollen, aching, hot and sweaty feet. This treatment works right through the pores and removes the cause of the trouble. Use it once and your feet feel delightfully cool and comfortable for a week and your foot troubles will be a thing of the past. Dissolve two tablespoonfuls of Calabie compound in a basin of warm water. Soak the feet in this for full fifteen minutes, gently rubbing the feet with a soft cloth. Following results follow: Corns, callouses, bunions, swollen, aching, hot and sweaty feet. This treatment works right through the pores and removes the cause of the trouble. Use it once and your feet feel delightfully cool and comfortable for a week and your foot troubles will be a thing of the past. 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THE SMARTEST FASHIONS OF WELL-DRESSED FOLK

The Fortune Teller

ELEANOR DEAR:

Don't ever tell me there is nothing in "things occult." You would leave off seeming had you heard the really wonderful things a gipsy told me the other day. But the future she prophesied is very prosaic. Dorothy's future is much more exciting. The whole joke is in the fact that Isabel Hall was the gipsy. The gipsy said—but I had better let Dorothy tell it you herself, what I will tell you is about the charming little frock she wore.

It is of soft white flowered taffeta made with the now-popular pannier skirt. The bodice is of sheer plain—such pretty silk would only be spoiled with much trimming. Bands of sheer lace extend over the shoulders to the waist line, and are continued as an edge of the pannier. Small black satin bows trim the bodice's front, which also has a little inset yoke of lace. The short set-in sleeves are edged with it also, and three broad bands of it are used on the otherwise plain skirt.

She wore a bell-shaped hat of white net, shirred to a wire frame and trimmed on each side with small, close clusters of pink rosebuds.

My own frock I had made especially to slip on in the afternoons when I did not want to spend much time in dressing. It is one of those convenient little one-piece affairs that button in the back and can be got into in just about two shakes, as Jack says. There is a plain front panel on bodice and skirt which opens at the throat over a narrow puffed yoke of silk mull finished with a narrow rill.

Embroidered linen that exactly matches the frock finishes the lower portion of the bodice, beginning each side of the panel and extending all around the back.

The sleeves are a silk full, and each has a broad cuff of embroidery, with a little puff of mull set underneath. This also is used for a puffed girdle, fastened at the side with black velvet ribbon, and again on the skirt, topping a very broad band of embroidery.

My hat on this occasion was a simple shade hat of white dotted swiss trimmed with a band of pink ribbon run under wide embroidered heading and tied in a very large full bow at the left side.

Really it was lots of fun—one feels so weird hearing about one's self.

Farewell for the present. Jack insists that I go for a walk before dinner.

Ever affectionately

MADGE



HELEN THRALOW

CONDITIONS IN CONGO ARE BAD

Confiscation of Land Still the Basis of Servitude and Cruelty.

Reports From the Jungles Say Leopold's Regime is Being Duplicated.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 17.—Viewed from every standpoint, from that of the native or the merchant, from the past, present, or future, the cardinal injustice of the Leopoldian "regime" remains in practice unaffected by Belgian annexation. The greatest crime of the old Congo State, which looms as the supreme danger of the future, was the confiscation of native rights in land, and upon that fundamental injustice was based the whole superstructure of the infamy of the past. It remains today as the foundation of a potential system of servitude but one degree less oppressive than the old slavery of the Congo State. Leading Colonial opinion in Belgium appears as incapable as local officialdom of forming a generous conception of the indigenous possibilities of the Congo natives. It can comprehend the laborer, the serf, or the domestic slave, but the free, industrious, and successful colored citizen is apparently beyond the mental horizon of those who control the destinies of the Congo.

POSITION OF SERVITOR.
While the native remains landless he can only occupy the position of servitor; white ownership and colored labor is at present the motto of the Congo. In the years preceding the establishment of the Congo State, rights in land were clearly defined; the boundaries of fishing grounds, the limitation of hunting areas, the territories within which periodic removals were permitted, were all delimited. The native, the hunter, the fisherman, the planter, all played their part as nature's boundaries to the common lands and rivers of native tribes. Upon the childhood devoted the sacred duty of maintaining intact these tribal lands, and any encroachment by alien tribes was the immediate signal for an intensely patriotic war.

The early eighties witnessed in the Congo basin three convulsive movements: the entrance of the white man from the West, following on Stanley's journey across the continent the north; the incursion of the Arabs from the north; and the Lokole wars towards the south. This latter movement was destined to change the whole situation in the Equatorial regions south of the Congo State. The Lokole, probably pressed by the Arabs from the north, started a "land war" with their southern neighbors, which ran right down to the Lukanga River, and in some places even across the greatest of the southern tributaries, the Kasai. Tribes fought each other for the maintenance of their ancient boundaries until the Lokole, who were in a state of warfare, which only ended when starvation claimed victims by the thousands.

PEACEFUL ADJUSTMENT.
Then only were boundaries readjusted by peaceful agreement. Even so, the whole population for months was in such dire straits for food that men sold their wives, and mothers their children for a single basket of manioc. How passionately the natives fight for their lands is realized when the reports of those terrible years. One said to me recently, "At first we fought to protect our lands, but in the end we had to fight to save our human flesh—our own and that of our neighbors." The advent of civilized government should have been a further guarantee of the security of land tenure; the right of the tribes to their lands should have been recognized by the new power. The Government, the most powerful supporter, was, however, as is sometimes the case, to vest the rights of tribal lands in the sovereign, the object should be of further safeguarding native rights against the incursions of the investor. None of these considerations appealed to the old Congo State. Money of purpose and common-sense policy alike knocked in vain at the door of the Administration. The Congo Government, by the simple expedient of ignoring "rights" (rights in no other word) the natives of their lands.

SPAIN FROWNS ON PORTUGUESE POLITICS

SAN SEBASTIAN, Aug. 17.—The attitude which has been adopted by certain Portuguese politicians and newspapers in regard to Spain is beginning to cause serious preoccupation in this country. The attitude, which is characterized by a complete lack of respect for the Spanish people, and a complete indifference to the Spanish cause, is a result of the fact that the Portuguese politicians are not only ignorant of the Spanish situation, but are also completely devoid of any sense of justice. The Portuguese politicians are not only ignorant of the Spanish situation, but are also completely devoid of any sense of justice. The Portuguese politicians are not only ignorant of the Spanish situation, but are also completely devoid of any sense of justice.

CHARGES IMPOSSIBLE.
Portugal demands the impossible when she asks Spain to guard the whole of the frontier without guarding it herself. On her own side, Spain already exercises the greatest vigilance over the Portuguese frontier. The Portuguese politicians are not only ignorant of the Spanish situation, but are also completely devoid of any sense of justice. The Portuguese politicians are not only ignorant of the Spanish situation, but are also completely devoid of any sense of justice.

... An Event and Some Persons ...



HUSTLING THEIR MAJESTIES.

JUST A WORD

London's newspapers are taking it as an indication of the popularity of King George and Queen Mary that they could be "entirely swallowed up" in a crowd of quite ordinary society. A British weekly is quoted as saying that the other day the incident pictured on this page happened.

The marriage of the Marquis of Anglesey and Lady Marjorie Manners took place last week and was one of the most brilliant affairs of its kind in this year's English society annals.

Two other notables pictured are Anthony Hope, the novelist, with two friends; and Lady Kilmorey, who is seen visiting one of the old patients at the Home of Rest for Horses, in London.

A recent photograph is shown of Field Marshal Sir Evelyn Wood, the details of whose career make splendid reading. He was born at Brighthelm in Essex in 1838, is the youngest son of the Rev. Sir John Page Wood, and married the Hon. Mary Paulina Southwell, sister of the Duke of Devonshire.

He was educated at Marlborough and entered the navy in 1855, served in the Crimea with the naval brigade, where he was severely wounded while carrying a scaling ladder to the Redoubt. In 1855 he joined the 13th Light Dragoons and served in the 17th Lancers in the Indian campaign. He was granted the Victoria Cross in 1859 and was present at Aden, Kabul, Zulu, and Transvaal wars. He commanded the 2d Brigade (2d division) expedition to Egypt and in 1885 raised the Egyptian army. He also served in the Nile expedition.

WOMAN DEAD 200 YEARS VICTIM OF ROBBERY.

DUBLIN, Aug. 17.—What is believed to have been the act of London vandals—the robbery of a woman dead two hundred years—has been discovered by the police of the city of Dublin. The body of a woman, who was found in a tomb in the city of Dublin, was discovered by the police of the city of Dublin.

The sexton of the old graveyard at Newton Anner found one morning that the ancient tomb, the last family of the Anners, had been broken open. The coffin, old velvet and decayed linen and bones long since scattered about the vault. He notified the rector and the clergyman sent for the police. Investigation proved that the goods had been taken from the tomb of a woman who was buried there in the year 1712. The body of the woman was found in a tomb in the city of Dublin.



ANTHONY HOPE (ON LEFT) WITH TWO FRIENDS

MARQUIS OF ANGLESEY AND HIS FIANCEE, LADY MARJORIE MANNERS.

CASTLE INN OF 500 YEARS AGO TO BE DEMOLISHED

LONDON, Aug. 17.—The hand of the builder has been laid upon one of England's oldest taverns, and soon the 500-year-old Castle Inn of Kingston will be a memory only. One of the first historical mentions of the inn is made in the curious old work known as "Valor Ecclesiasticus," published in 1558, which states that the Castle Inn paid a tithe of three shillings and four pence a year to the vicar of Kingston.

More than a century later the "Mills Annals" states that, "Upon the first day of August, being March 4, 1660, it pleased the Lord to strike with sudden death, as he was drinking a glass of wine in the Castle Tavern there, the Under Sheriff of that county."

The Castle remained a favorite hostelry until 1840, when the growth of railway travel compelled it to close its doors. In the days of the post chaise the inn was the first stage on the outward journey from London to the south of England. In addition to the post chaises, twenty-four passenger coaches changed horses there daily. The old carved oak stairway, dating from Tudor times, has been preserved.

Among the royal relics sold recently at Manor House, near Harrogate, were a pair of silk stockings, said to have been worn by Queen Victoria on her wedding day and a piece of orange blossom from her bridal wreath. The articles named were in a blue table which sold for \$385, and which also contained pieces of the bridal cakes of King Edward VII. and King George V. Lord Nelson's garter, and shoes worn by Pauline Bonaparte, sister of Napoleon.

Taraknath Palit, a veteran Bengalee who has been prominent in the councils of the Indian National Congress for a quarter of a century, has given property and cash amounting to seven lakhs of rupees (about \$285,000) to the Calcutta University for the establishment of two chairs, chemistry and physics, and the building of a laboratory. The conditions are that not less than a third of the fund shall be spent on the laboratory building and its maintenance, and that the professorships shall always be held by Indians.

The Calcutta University is able to add two and one-half lakhs to Palit's gift, so that the money available for what promises to be a noble college of science and technology is nearly \$340,000.

England passed some of her best legislation during the war, but in the British championship and the Davis cup.



LADY KILMOREY.



ANTHONY HOPE (ON LEFT) WITH TWO FRIENDS

BERLIN, Aug. 17.—The Englishman may live a long time in his favored places in Germany, at Dresden, or even at the old university town of Heidelberg—and yet never hear personally of an affair which has led to a duel. In fact, he will very likely form the opinion that the dueling habit has practically died out in Germany, as it has done long ago in England.

This is quite a natural mistake, as the German is most reticent on such matters. There are some Latin countries where the duel has become a sort of social advertisement, an event which is not missed by reporters, photographers and perhaps cinema operators. Not so in Germany. Far from being a social function, it is an execution of justice—or prejudice, according to how you look at it.

The duel is unwritten law for a certain class, a law contradicted by the written law. All the public hears of it is contained in a newspaper notice which says laconically: "Mr. X has been sentenced to three weeks' confinement from the banks of the Rhine for a duel." Or one reads the name of Mr. B., officer in reserve, who has been struck out of the army list because he refused to take part in a duel.

There is, of course, a strange discrepancy between these two judgments. The one punishing the duelist derives its origin from the common penal law. On the other hand, the judgment punishing the anti-duelist with expulsion from the army is a part of a special class law, the military law, which is only applicable to the military profession.

OBJECT TO CLASS.
This class distinction is the principal object of the Socialist party has against the dueling habit. They contend that the duel exempts the military caste from the common law, reserves for them a special private justice, and allows them to murder in cold blood, if only certain formalities are respected. They contend that the duel is a form of legalized murder, and that the military caste is a class of privileged murderers.

It is stated on good authority that the members of the minority report of the Divorce Commission, which reports this month, are the Archbishop of York, Sir William Anson and Sir Lewis Dillwyn, who will recommend a few minor alterations in the present law.

It is understood that the majority report will recommend the empowering of county courts to deal with cases within well-defined restrictions. Following the lead of Lord Gorell, who, when president of the House of Lords, recommended changes in the present law, the majority will favor means whereby poor people may seek relief from the divorce courts to deal with cases within well-defined restrictions. Following the lead of Lord Gorell, who, when president of the House of Lords, recommended changes in the present law, the majority will favor means whereby poor people may seek relief from the divorce courts to deal with cases within well-defined restrictions.

It is fully expected that one of the recommendations will favor the restriction of the publication in the papers of the details of evidence in divorce cases, while insisting that the publicity of the courts must be maintained, thereby doing away with all secret hearings.

Among the changes in the marriage law which will be recommended by the report will be the alteration of the present much-abused separation orders, which, according to Lord Gorell, have a tendency to deal with cases within well-defined restrictions. Following the lead of Lord Gorell, who, when president of the House of Lords, recommended changes in the present law, the majority will favor means whereby poor people may seek relief from the divorce courts to deal with cases within well-defined restrictions.

At the present time this law not only permits but compels the grant of a divorce without waiting for a final judgment, which in fact is a mere formality. The law is so framed that it is impossible to obtain a divorce without waiting for a final judgment, which in fact is a mere formality.

The army, then, constitutes an bulwark for the maintenance of the duel. Its attitude is a sort of self-protection, as a distinct and distinguished social body, therefore the army is not merely an officer who designs with the nobility and gentry on the point of entrance and exit from the

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FRENCH POSTMASTER UNDER HEAVY FIRE

Chaumet Declared to Have Been Intoxicated When Recent Official Speech Was Made

PARIS, Aug. 17.—Another illustration of the orthodox Socialist frame of mind is afforded by the attitude of the government employees. The chamber last week passed a resolution against Chaumet, the postmaster-general, couched in most insulting terms, implying that the statements made by him at the recent banquet were due to free indulgence in wine, whereas the congress allows "M. Chaumet the benefit of extenuating circumstances."

It is difficult to find a parallel to such insolence on the part of employees towards their chief, and the chief too, who has invariably shown extreme consideration for their grievances, and who only a few weeks ago extorted a credit of \$1,350,000 for improving the situation of this very category of employees, and although the chamber voted \$6,000,000 for an increase of the salaries of postal servants. On M. Chaumet's asking if the committee of the syndicate which called the congress held itself responsible for the offensive resolution, Chaumet, the whole syndicate replied that every one of them personally and corporately upheld the motion.

Such an example shows to what a lamentable extent Socialism corrupts the intentions and working classes, leading to a complete ignoring of all the principles of administrative hierarchy and discipline. There is always some danger of an act of clemency like the pardon of Hervé being construed as a sign of weakness, but in the present state there can scarcely be any risk of misconception, and Hervé at liberty is probably looked upon by the government as less objectionable and less of an object of reproach than a prisoner in the Conciergerie and a pretended martyr to his convictions.

KILLS SELF FOR WOMAN.
An opium den, and there are many such in the French naval ports, has been the scene of a double suicide. The other night cries for help were heard from a lodging in one of the streets of Brest, and a young woman, scantily dressed, with hair dishevelled, rushed out, crying "Come quickly," and cried to the awakened neighbors, "My lover has shot himself!"

In a small room, lying on a blood-stained mattress, was the body of a young man with a bullet wound through the temple. A doctor hastily summoned, found that nothing could be done for the wounded man, who died a few minutes later.

The victim was a young naval lieutenant on sick leave, who had returned that day from Paris. On hearing that his mistress had been summoned before the courts for keeping an opium den at Brest and Cherbourg, the officer had that afternoon approached one of the magistrates and

implored him to dismiss the case against his friend. On being told that the law must take its course the disappointed lover, weighing on a mind already weakened by ill-health, the man committed suicide. It is a sad ending to a career of high promise, for the dead officer, entering the naval school second in 1903 and passing out first, had since then made splendid progress in his profession. It is significant that his father, a magistrate, also died by his own hand.

Gaby Deslys is suing Ernest Charles for \$10,000. Her action is the talk of Paris, which doubtless was what the astute dancer intended. She was first engaged to a groom to horsewhip Charles, who is a critic, but her lawyer suggested making him pay damages, as horsewhipping editors and critics has become too common and dull.

Charles, commenting upon the threatened suit, suggests that Mile Deslys subpoena ex-King Manuel as one of her witnesses as to character. He adds many other names as likely to be of assistance. For all that, the case is expected to show that critics use their pens for too freely in Paris, and there are many who think that Gaby will win the damages.

A practical joke played upon the popular Count Robert de Montauville, has just led to a lawsuit which involves many people prominent in Paris society. The count is indignant, and vows he will wreak vengeance in a suit for heavy damages for the insult placed upon him.

Count Robert has a beautiful place at Les Testins, near Saint Germain, known by the modest name of La Palais Rose. It is magnificently situated in the heart of an immense garden of forty acres, and people love to visit it, just to have a peep at the roses in bloom. The count decided that he would invite all his friends out to a dinner in his "garden of roses," and to entertain his guests he engaged specially such "stars" as Mile. Leconte, Mile. Dorina and M. Worme.

These artists from the Comedie Francaise were to play Verlain's "Les Uns et Les Autres"; and in addition dancers and singers of note were to fill in the rest of the garden performance. On the night of the party all the guests reeled with regret that the count, who had been so kind as to postpone the treat, they were all deeply disappointed. Their annoyance was as nothing compared to that of the count. He sat in his garden, surrounded by hundreds of empty silk chairs, the dinner spoiling, the performance a complete failure. There were no guests. It was not until next day that Paris woke up to the hoax.

The majority of the people who missed the dinner and party laughed over the affair. Not so the count. He was deeply offended, and rushed post haste to his lawyer. Blood would be spilled, but duels are going out of fashion.

HISSELF SOMETHING NEW.
The police of Paris are wrestling with a new species of criminal—the "burglar broker." The broker advertises, quietly, of course, "burglars done neatly and with dispatch."

The discovery of the "burglar broker" was made in the investigation following the bankruptcy of M. Bouvier, a well known jeweler. Bouvier reported the burglary of his flat and broke down and confessed that he had been deceived by a man who had been a burglar broker. He explained how his troubles had induced him to employ a "burglar broker," a German, who claimed to be in touch with the most desperate criminals in Paris.

The burglary had been brought off, as arranged, the gems secreted in a country town, and Bouvier was ready to draw the insurance money. The broker's fee was \$100, and the man of M. Bouvier, known as the "King of Burglars," \$500.

The "winged car" has been tried and proved a huge success. Paris is showing praise upon the inventor, M. Bertrand de Lesseps, and the prediction is made that the new arrival will revolutionize motoring. The car went from Paris to Lyons, about 220 miles, without a single mishap and made the distance in excellent time.

The vehicle has the appearance of an ordinary motor car, except that the forepart is shaped like the prow of a ship. From the extremity of the prow extends a shaft to which the propeller is attached—or the "wing," as it is called. The "wing" is driven by a 40-horsepower engine and rotates by shaft and chain transmission. The wheels of the car run free. In the trial a speed of sixty-two miles an hour was made, with 2100 wing revolutions per minute.

THIEF FLIES OFF WITH AIRSHIP.
Police Gaze in Sky to Find the "Trail" of Daring Robber.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)
BERLIN, Aug. 17.—Remarkable evidence of the advanced state of aviation is furnished by the news from Munich that the first aeroplane has already been stolen.

When the aviator, Herr Belet, arrived at his shed on the aerodrome of Puchheim, near Munich to take a flight on his monoplane he found to his dismay, that the machine had literally flown. It was impossible that the aeroplane should have been removed from the grounds in any other way than by air, and the thief must have been a skilled pilot.

Persons residing in the neighborhood of the aerodrome state that they heard the buzzing of an aeroplane about 2 a. m.

The police have been advised of the theft and a number of men have been deputed to gaze aloft for signs of the thief.

FAMOUS MISSIONARY IS DEAD IN LONDON.
(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)
LONDON, Aug. 17.—Dr. Griffith John, the famous missionary dead in London, Dr. Griffith John, who was born in 1831, worked for many years in China, returning to England only this year on account of his health.

When Dr. John went out to China, sixteen years ago he found found Hankow, where he was stationed, in ruins after the Taiping rebellion. He left it in the same condition after the recent revolution.

During his fifty-six years' service, he had only been home on furlough twice, and although he had only been five years away from China.

In the Anglo-Chinese International Union of England and Wales, Dr. John accepted the chairmanship, but he refused to leave his work in China.

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That Dreadful Leg Crossing Habit

"The Habit Is Never Attractive or Graceful. It Makes the Body Appear Angular and Accentuates the Form in a Most Unattractive Way," Says

Lillian Russell

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A LETTER published openly in a contemporary asks the important question: "Please tell me why most of the pictures of fashionable women and girls appearing in the newspapers show them (some of them mothers of growing girls) with their legs crossed over just as high and as far as it is possible for a woman to cross one leg over another, one foot swinging high in the air, the other leg showing an expanse of hose that to me looks exceedingly vulgar. Is it the style? Just observe the apparently refined, well-dressed girl nowadays. The moment she takes her seat in a car or goes to the leg and as soon as she is sufficiently crossed a look of complete satisfaction spreads over her face. I am not old, but my mother teaches me that to cross my legs in such a manner is unrefined. Is my mother behind the times?"

No, your mother is not behind the times and she is endowed with far more refinement and good manners than any of the society women or girls who cross their legs in a street car or anywhere but in the privacy of their own home.

I have noticed the apparently new habit women have assumed of late of crossing their legs in automobiles and little electric machines and you will always see a smart low shoe or pump and plenty of embroidered or openworked stockings, which prove the intention.

Now, a little suggestion of lovely history and slipper peeping out from under a pretty dinner gown is lovely and attractive, but the almost brazen way the girls are accentuating their forms by fitting their skirts too tightly and displaying a godly expanse of their stockings in the street is as unbecoming as it is vulgar.

Ways of Society Women.

It is the society woman who is accused of her place in this world who takes liberties not only with the English language but with the ordinary rules of refinement.

Do not try to imitate the strongest rule of beauty and be assured that any woman or girl who has inherited or cultivated refinement will never cross her legs before men or any one she respects.

The habit is never attractive or graceful. It makes the body appear angular and accentuates the lower portion of the female form in an unattractive way. The beautiful woman would as masculinize her form by crossing her legs as to rest in her own boudoir alone.

Another disagreeable beauty destroying habit is the use of your elbows as props. They were not intended for that purpose. Not only do they suffer themselves, but your face suffers also. It places your head at a poor angle, destroys the expression of your eyes and deforms your back. Your elbows ought to be at your sides, not in front of you upon the table, serving as props for your head.

If your arm is fat you make it look twice as fat if it is lean you bring out the bony side, by leaning on your elbows. Much better to show the pretty line which runs right down from your shoulder to your wrist. There is a long, lovely line from shoulder to thumb which is the delight of artists. Let your hands be tidy in your lap; please into your long mirror and study this shoulder-to-thumb line. It will satisfy your eye for the lovely.

If your hands look veined, as if blood had settled in them, now is the time to take them in charge. It means that the skin is getting old and in a moment is dying out of the flesh of your hands. In plainer words, it means that your hands are growing old. Don't let your hands get aged; it is a disease that will soon spread to your wrists and your arms. Work over them faithfully and keep them young.

We all know the woman who has many rings. She loads down her fingers with them. And then she clasps her hands in front of her, propping them up with her elbows. If there is a convenient table she rests her elbows upon it and clasps her hands high in the air. It is a wearisome pose and an unbecoming one, although it does show off one's rings.

Reward Worth the Effort.

The woman who has her elbows would be pretty in every line, but she is not. The prettiest is killed by the treatment they receive. Don't cross your elbows. Get into the habit of resting them. They will reward you by being plump and showing a simple in each.

The prettiest pose for the elbows, the picture pose, is found by resting them at the sides. They will almost touch the hips and the line they make is a line of beauty. Horatio used to draw this pose and everybody delighted in it. Rest your elbows easily at your sides and let your arms lie lazily along your lap. Try it, get a mirror and gaze at yourself. You will find it a picture pose, nothing could be more restful to the eye. It is the pose which artists select when they are asked to paint a picture.

If you want your elbows to look pretty teach them their place. Let them rest upon the arms of your chair, not upon your dining table, or it is by your side. If you want to look youthful even beneath, let your hands lie in your lap, palms upward. There is something delightful in this attitude. But don't dignify it with a name.

There is a woman who has taught her fingers to curl. And she started now to teach them to be lap

with the palms or her hands upward. The third finger curls more than the others and the palms of her hands are pink. This woman lets her elbows rest idly at her sides while her arms lie in her lap. Her palms are pink and pretty and her fingers curl. She sits thus, perfectly at ease, and the pose is one that has been painted and raved about.

Sometimes she holds a rose, quite idly, in her fingers. But she neither twists her finger tips nor moves her hands. They are restful with this pretty, babyish pink palms turned toward you. It is a knack but it is worth the trouble that is required to learn it.

Elbows Index of the System.

Elbows govern the arms in a way. They are an index of the state of the hands and even of the system. Hard, rough elbows mean that a woman is nervous.

The almost brazen way some girls accentuate their forms by too tightly fitting suits and too much hosiery display is as unbecoming as it is vulgar.

Soft, pretty elbows mean that she is restful and content. Teach your elbows to look comfortable and pretty restful and at ease with life.

If your elbows have fallen into bad habits and if their skin has grown hard as a bone and tough as tripe it is time to take them in hand and treat them. Lather your elbows with cold cream every night for two weeks at least and see how beautiful they will be. There is a young woman who for the first time has worn short sleeves. At the beginning of the year she was terrified at her elbows. They were positively callous. But somebody told her to soak them in hot water for ten minutes every night and then to apply cold cream. If your elbows are of the lumpy and bony sort you can reform them with some cold cream. Take a pat of it and rub it into your elbows. Don't stop until you

but keep right on rubbing. It will make your hands soft as well as your elbows. The warm skin will soon absorb the cream and your elbows will grow nice.

How to Keep Knuckles and Elbows Young.

If your arms are corn color, your hands veined and your elbows rough, it is a sign that you do not know how to take care of them. Fill a basin full of water and let it be hot as you can bear. Drop into it oatmeal half and half. Put one box into the water and a few drops of benzoin. Now put your arms into this and hold them there while you count 100. Next comes the rubber sponge or the rough bath pitter. Make your arms glow like fire and keep the water dashing and splashing. You are waking up your skin and your elbows are getting softer. A little fine pumice upon them will take off the outer skin. Now for the massage.

If you want to keep your knuckles and elbows young you must use as much massage cream as you can as your hands will hold. Take a soft ball of the each elbow and one for each hand. Don't stop until you

Do not hold your feet too stiffly. Place them comfortably and naturally—this will spell grace.

skin feels like satin. Your arms will begin to look white like the arms of the professional beauty. If you are going out you can finish off with a lot of complexion powder and your arms will deny the story that you are getting older.

A woman with old elbows is an old woman; never forget that fact. It is pathetic to observe the pained expression with which men view the lumpy elbows that peep out of elbow sleeves. Don't have lumpy elbows. It is unnecessary and it is not beautiful. Keep your elbows soft and round.

Indulge Skin of Elbow.

Don't use your elbows as props. It destroys your sweet expression and makes your mouth sag. The skin of your elbow is naturally thin and there is no allowance for hard work. You are not supposed to make the elbow bone do the work of supporting your head.

Learn to indulge the skin of your elbow. That may sound queer but take your elbow in your hand and

you will understand it. The skin is soft and loose and it is easily moved about. Rub the skin around a little to make it pliable, warm it in the palm of your hand and if it feels hard and cold heat it over the fire. Don't let your elbows get red and disagreeable.

In a room of forty women there were just two pairs of pretty elbows. Two women had elbows which showed pretty dimples and one woman had a dimple in her shoulder. It was cooing. But it is safe to say this woman did not use her elbows as props and that she did not abuse her shoulders by sitting with them hunched up and round. She knew how to take care of her figure and she valued her dimples.

There is another bad thing about propping up your head with your elbows. You make your shoulder high and in most cases you make them uneven. This is saying nothing at all about the fact that you spoil the set of your gown. Women who sit with their elbows upon the table are usually of the impression that they make themselves more charming by doing so.

Actually there are ten in a thousand who are beautiful enough to stand the test.



Learn to keep your feet well together when you walk. Walking with feet wide apart can be nothing but awkward.

Suzette's Letter and Other Society

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who is spending the summer in Honolulu with her grandmother. They have a wide circle of friends in the smart set there, and many entertainments have been planned in their honor. One of the largest luncheons of the year at Honolulu was that given by Miss Jessie Kennedy, who entertained in honor of popular Miss McNear.

"POP McCRAYS" BIRTHDAY IS WONDERFUL SUCCESS.

The various celebrations characteristic of our summer resorts all carry something of interest, and one of the most famous is that of Mr. McCray's birthday, celebrated each year at the "Old Homestead" at Cloverdale. For fifty miles around people come to the "celebration," and "Pop McCray's" birthday, is the great event of the summer in all the county side. The celebration was promptly given on Wednesday evening after the most elaborate preparations. Cakes galore were baked, and in the midst of them a most gorgeous birthday cake. Three hundred and fifty chickens were a tribute to the feast, and other things in accordance. Tables were set all through the grove, and a masquerade followed the supper. One hears the "bal masque" was great fun, and that the host never missed a dance. One of the birthday gifts was a combined present from friends, a gorgeous chair, costing \$125. When the host of the evening will ever find the time to sit in it, nobody knows, for he was never known to be still a minute, but he has it to look at any way.

The dance was a great success, and the birthday celebration of Wednesday evening surpassed any of recent years. Many well known people were at McCray's for the birthday dance. All the Veitches with their guests came from their country home close by. Mr. and Mrs. Feilon are visiting their friends, the Yordies, in Cloverdale, and they all went over for the dance. Others there from the hotel were Mrs. Thomas Watson Cushing and her charming young daughter, Miss Carmen Ghirardelli, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Thomson.

Congratulations for the genial host were the order of the evening, and many presents represented the affection of a host of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Madison street and their sons, Francis and Winfred, motored from Eureka last week, and were guests in passing at McCray's. Other motor guests were Mrs. Henry Miles Bull, Arthur Latham, Elizabeth Latham, Mrs. Thomas Cullin, Mrs. E. B. Beck, Miss Mollie Connors, Mrs. I. Y. Doane, Miss Mollie Cullin, Lloyd Cullin, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hays (Louise Hall).

MRS. L. F. COCKROFT RETURNS FROM ISLAND.

Returning travelers tell us of more interesting trips than usual this year, and club women are promised many delightful trips, when reminiscences of vacation trips are given them.

Mrs. L. F. Cockcroft is one of the very clever women of the Ebell Club, and she is also a bright conversationalist. Mrs. Cockcroft and her daughters on Wednesday, coming from Australia.

They spent the summer vacation at Tahiti and other of the South Sea Islands, going to Sydney, from which port they sailed for home. At Pago

Pago the passengers of the Sonoma witnessed a great demonstration by fully 4000 natives. They were in war paint and feathers, the gala dress of the islanders, and for three hours they danced the old native dances. At the big native feast they crowned F. S. Samuels, managing director of the Oceanic line, king, and Mrs. Samuels was crowned queen.

The celebration wound up with the passing of a huge bowl of kawa, the native wine, from which each individual, including the ship's officers and passengers, took a drink for good health. The crowning of Mr. and Mrs. Samuels as king and queen was one of the most unique ceremonies witnessed in the islands in many years. The barbaric ritual came to a conclusion with a shower of good things upon the king and queen—live chickens, coconuts and other island fruits being among the articles showered.

Two days out of Pago Pago a volcano in full eruption on one of the barren Samoan Islands was observed, making a beautiful sight at night.

VACATION DAYS IS THEME AT CLUBS.

One hears that "Vacation Days" is the theme assigned for discussion at three of our leading clubs, and all sorts of interesting tales will be told. There are some brave club women who will tell harrowing motor experiences, for intrepid motorists are trying the difficult task of conquering the Sierras. Motor trips this year have extended up into Oregon, and many motorists have gone to Tahoe by way of Placerville, and returned by way of Carson, Reno, and down through the Feather River country. The scenery is magnificent—but the roads—to have come safely over them is a never-to-be-forgotten experience.

They lie high up on the mountain side, with steep grades, and so narrow you take your life in your hands when you try to pass the big wagons—and they always have the inside of the road. The travelers coming from abroad bring stories of entertainment by prominent people, and some of our intrepid women have been brave mountain climbers this year. Altogether, the season has been a varied one and stories of life by the sea, or days in the mountains are well worth the telling.

SUZETTE.

SOCIETY

A beautifully appointed luncheon yesterday, Mrs. Henry M. Pond and Miss Mary Pond entertained a congenial group of the smart set in compliment to Mrs. William Gardiner, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. M. Clay. Pink asters were artistically combined with greens to form the decorations. Among those for whom courses were laid were Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Clay, Mrs. Sumner Loop, Mrs. Charles O'Neil, Mrs. John Ralph Wilson, Mrs. Chauncey Pond, Mrs. Lloyd Collier, Miss Sue Wheelock, Miss Mary Sample and the hostesses. Mrs. Gardiner has made her home in the east since her marriage, and her present stay among her girlhood friends is being made pleasant by affairs both formal and informal and by reunions of members of the set in which she was a popular member.

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COUNT GEZA S. DE PARHACH, IN THE UNIFORM OF FIRST LIEUTENANT OF THE SIXTH HUNGARIAN HUSSARS.

Count Geza S. de Parhach, an artist of note, who resides in the Fruitvale hills, not far from the home of Poet Joaquin Miller, comes of a noble family in Hungary, and in his younger days was first lieutenant of the Sixth Hungarian Hussars. He has traveled extensively and is known as a lecturer as well as a painter. He spent several months in the Holy Land, some years ago, where he produced numerous canvases which have become well known. Since establishing his studio in the foothills of Oakland he has painted several portraits of well-known residents.

Luncheon will be followed by a couple of hours at the all-absorbing game. The personnel of the club includes a group of the younger matrons, among whom are Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. George Kiehlman, Mrs. J. Terney, Mrs. F. D. Williams, Mrs. F. A. Hinz, Mrs. Harry Nellie, Mrs. Frank Mack, Mrs. O. P. Olson, Mrs. Theodore Westphal, Mrs. Adina Wedgwood and Mrs. Frick. Early in September Mrs. Frick will go to Stockton for a short stay and later will have a fortnight's rest at Tahoe. She has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. O. E. Wright, for the past ten days and has given several small afternoon affairs in her honor. During the absence of Mrs. Charles Chamberlain Mrs. Frick has held several meetings of the board of directors of the Oakland Club, of which she is vice-president and has taken an active interest in civic affairs and the outing at Tahoe will come as much-needed rest.

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SLAP-JACK FAMINE IN QUAKER HOME

Wife Is Willing to Cook Them, But Prengel Refuses to Buy.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 16.—Baking real German pancakes and other favorite dishes for eighteen years for her husband, William Prengel, of Eastington, was a pleasure for Mrs. Prengel, now of 2023 Beach street, where she has been living with her 16-year-old daughter since she ceased to prepare breakfast for her husband. The wife who has instituted an action for divorce says her husband failed to support her and furnish funds with which to provide the morning breakfast.

Suddenly disappearing after a two months' honeymoon, he culminated in a suit for divorce just begun by Robert C. Tobols, an electrician, against his wife. The pair were married after a brief courtship. Then there was a honeymoon for two months. On their return to this city, Mrs. Tobols, according to her husband, disappeared and he hasn't heard from her since. He seeks a divorce on the ground of desertion.

listers, where she has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. H. Stone, and family, for the last three weeks.

MRS. G. ALLISON and children have returned home from Utah, where they were guests of Mrs. C. Rankin for several weeks.

J. B. CLARKSON was in Santa Cruz a few days ago on business.

MR. AND MRS. T. F. TILMAN are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Perkins at their residence near Modesto.

H. O. MOYER was in San Luis Obispo during the past week.

ARTHUR GONZALEZ is the guest of Mrs. Harriet Moran at Sebastopol.

MR. AND MRS. J. M. DAVIDSON were in Santa Clara recently visiting friends.

J. E. RASKELL registered at one of the Placerville hotels a few days ago.

L. W. SNOW and family were among the San Luis Obispo visitors last week.

F. E. MOFFITT visited Sacramento on business recently.

MISS LOIS MASON is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Field of Cloverdale.

MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR RUSSELL left last week for Lafayette for their vacation.

MR. AND MRS. M'KINNEY visited friends in Benicia last week.

HARRY DAVIS and wife are visitors at the Board ranch near Redwoodburg.

MR. AND MRS. HENRY WITT, Mrs. REBECCA HORN and Mrs. MILLER left a few days ago on an auto en route to Placerville.

MR. AND MRS. J. A. PUTNAM were among the hotel arrivals in Placerville a few days ago.

GEORGE A. MORRILL was in Placerville on business recently.

MR. AND MRS. SCHUCHMAN have returned from a visit to Downsville.

JULIUS RUEDIGER was registered at one of the hotels in Downsville a few days ago.

MR. AND MRS. W. KRONIDA were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Burke for a few days recently at their home in Sutter Creek.

G. WILLIAMS has accepted a position in Placerville, where he will reside in the future.

W. M. DUVAL is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Naramore in Colianga.

FRED H. TUTTLE and C. L. BROWN were guests at one of the hotels in San Jose during the past week.

MRS. J. E. SNEDECOR has gone to Modesto to make her home with her husband, of the firm of Jacob and Snodgrass.

E. S. SHAKELIN, a "rally" dealer, was in Merced a few days ago on business.

Health and Beauty Helps

(By MRS. MAE MARTYN.)

C. L.—The hot sun and wind will injure your skin, even though it is delicate. If you apply a spumax lotion each day, this lotion is made by adding 1/2 teaspoonful of glycerine to 1/2 pint water, hazel (or hot water), then 4 ounces spumax. Powder and rouge are unnecessary when the spumax lotion is used, and if you apply the lotion every day you will find that it banishes tan and freckles and dispels the oily, shiny, blotchy condition. The spumax lotion is invisible when on and is not affected by wind or perspiration.

Myra—Each night apply pyroxin to hair roots with thumb and forefinger and they will come in long and silky. Your eyebrows will grow thick and heavy by rubbing on pyroxin with finger tip. Be careful and don't get any where hair is not wanted.

Dorothy D.—No harm results when Delatone is used to banish hairy growths. Just make a paste with some Delatone and water, spread over hairs and in two or three minutes remove, wash the skin, and every trace of hairy growth is banished. Rarely it is necessary to use more than one application of Delatone.

B. A.—Of course you cannot make your hair look bright and pretty, because soap was never intended for shampooing, as it causes the hair to grow streaky and brittle. Dissolve a teaspoonful canthrox in a cup hot water and you will have enough mixture for a deliciously soothing and invigorating shampoo. The lather created by canthrox always scalp irritation and dandruff. After shampooing, oil, and after rinsing well, the hair and scalp are clean and sweet, with the hair dries quickly, with an even, rich color and healthy growth. Canthrox compares with canthrox for keeping the hair silky, brilliant and fluffy in hot weather.

Mrs. J. R.—Boils indicate a poison laden blood, and you can hope for little relief until the poisons are eliminated from the system. In 1/2 pint alcohol pour 1 ounce canthrox, then put in 1/2 cupful sugar and hot water to make a quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal, and you will soon be rid of your boils. This tonic will clean up the skin.

LILLIAN HAD NOT ENOUGH FOR BOOK. The Rev. Dr. F. H. Lewis, pastor of the First M. E. church of Pittsburg, Pa., who married the actress, Lillian Russell, and Alexander P. Moore, publisher of the Pittsburg Leader, in that city last month, tell a humorous incident which occurred at a dinner party at the Hotel Schenley which followed the ceremony. Ray Templeton, William Collier, Lew Fields and other friends of the actress were present and the bride had to undergo some pleasant chaffing about her numerous matrimonial ventures. The groom, who is a friend of Dr. Lewis, was seated upon the clergyman's right.

Mr. Moore suddenly showed interest about the marriage certificate which Dr. Lewis had signed and handed to him.

"Is this all I get?" asked Mr. Moore, frowning "dubiously."

Dr. Lewis explained that, if he wished he could give him a small booklet containing the words of the marriage ceremony and his signature as the officiating clergyman.

Mr. Moore looked puzzled and turned toward his wife, who was seated several seats down the table on the other side, and called:

"Lillian, how about a book; do we want a book?"

Mrs. Moore looked puzzled and showed that she did not understand what he meant. To make himself more explicit, Mr. Moore waved the marriage license vigorously, which he held in his hand, and called back:

"Oh, Alice, I haven't enough to make a book."

I. X. L.—You can obtain quick relief from burning, smarting eyes by frequently dropping two or three drops of a plain crystal eye-water in each eye. This harmless tonic is made by dissolving one ounce crystals in a pint cold water. For soreness or for removing foreign particles, as well as for granulated lids, eyes are unequaled. To dull listless eyes it will give a youthful charm and sparkle, and its occasional use frequently overcomes the need for wearing glasses.

Eather H.—You cannot expect to have a clear, fair skin so long as you continue using heavy creams and smother the pores with powder. Make up and use this plain almond cream-jelly, followed by an application of the spumax lotion (see answer to C. L.). Put two teaspoonfuls glycerine into 1/2 pint cold water, then add one ounce almond. Let stand for several hours, then apply to skin and massage in. This cream-jelly will rid the skin of pimples, blackheads, blotches, fine lines, sallowness and other complexion upsets. It also discourages hairy growths.

Grace W.—The discomfort you suffer from overfatness can be easily remedied if you use four ounces paraffin and dissolve in 1 1/2 pints hot water, then take a tablespoonful three times each day. This harmless treatment gently dissolves fatty tissues without inconvenience and does not call for dieting or violent exercise. You can reduce your weight where you want it and your flesh will be firm and the skin free from wrinkles. No possible danger results from using the paraffin treatment, and there is no fear of the fat returning once the treatment is discontinued.

X. L.—An excellent hair and scalp tonic for summer months is made by adding one ounce quinzoin to 1/2 pint alcohol, then 1/2 pint water. This almost instantly restores the hair to its normal condition. Its continued use puts the scalp in a healthy condition and encourages a healthy growth of silky, brilliant hair. It is a good idea to shampoo occasionally with canthrox (see answer to B. A.), then use the quinzoin tonic once or twice each week.

BOSSY COW GETS JAG EATING CORN STALKS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The cow with a jag is the latest discovery by the Department of Agriculture. A Virginia husbandman, alarmed by the indecorous performance of an ordinarily perfect cow, called animal after munched a ration of corn-silage, appealed to the sharps in the department. Investigation revealed that "bossy" had feasted on fermented corn-stalks and simply gotten drunk on raw bourbon whiskey.

To Develop the Bust

To Beauty Editor I am so ashamed of my chest that I want to ask you if there is any harmless way to develop it. My hips and the rest of my body are right for the present and I do not want to tamper with anything that I would have to give up. I have three or four more inches of development.

The only thing I know of that will develop the bust without putting on flesh where not needed, is a prescription put up by Dr. Lewis. It is the discovery of a woman physician whose practice was largely among her own sex and in most cases increases the bust measure from four to six inches in a month. Send for it to The Rev. Dr. F. H. Lewis, 213-C, Buffalo, N. Y., and he will send you a trial package of the treatment without charge. This is safe and has effect upon the case of arrested development of the bust and will give a full, beautiful form without anyone knowing. Many mothers have told me that after the baby had been weaned, the breasts became flat, and that they had effect upon the general health. Neither would I recommend ordinary flesh builders or tonics as they increase the hips and limbs, and with the present ideal the form should be slender everywhere except a generously developed bust.

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CHORUS

You and I, my hon-ey just you and I.

No one near us, who could see or hear us, But the ti-ny stars in the sky.

By and by my hon-ey, you said we'd try To float a-long life's stream to-geth-er, Just you and I.

Just You And I

side by side, Down a-long the rip-ping tide. When the wa-ters seemed to say.

And the shad-ows creep-ing, Off we pad-dled, Till your ec-ho.

While the stars were peep-ing, I could hear you call-ing.

I was stand-ing, on the land-ing, As you soft-ly pulled a Birch ca-noe-ing, Down a-long the old mill

JUST YOU AND I

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Until heart-land.

Oh I re-We were so light

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Moderato

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AROUND THE LIBRARY TABLE

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Royalties Who Work with Hands

Look at the List!

Princess Eitel Frederick Is an Architect;
Queen Maud of Norway Binds Books;
Prince Frederick Charles Is Blacksmith;
Crown Prince of Roumania Is a Cabinet Maker;
Prince Koulery Onibero Is a Parisian Chauffeur;
Prince Frederick Sigismund Is a Joiner;
Princess Louise of Schleswig-Holstein Is an Enamel Worker;
and the King of Bulgaria Is an Expert Engineer.



Onibero, A
Chauffeur.

It is imagined that to wear a crown means a life of idleness. This is because court life is surrounded with pomp and luxury. Ease and idleness may be the rôle played by many courtiers, but it does not pertain to royalty itself. Most queens and princesses are hard workers. They commence their education before they leave the nursery.

The ablest of these is perhaps the Kaiser's popular daughter-in-law, the Princess Eitel Frederick. She has proved her capabilities as a clever architect and has designed many important pieces of work.

When quite a young girl at the Tochter's Hochschule she showed a keen interest in all branches of mechanical drawing and was one of the best in her class. After finishing the required work she took up the study of architecture, and her plans showed such originality and accuracy that she was encouraged by her professors to take up this work as a profession. A number of her plans were shown at exhibitions of artists and architects.

This work continued until Prince Eitel Frederick took an interest first in her beautiful drawings and then in the artist herself.

Princess Helps Design Palace.

Since their marriage her drawings have been shown little at exhibitions, though she has drawn much and made a number of plans that have been used. In building their new home at Potsdam she cooperated with the architect and made many valuable suggestions, some of the prettiest parts of the palace being the creations of her fancy and skill. Her husband is now building some new stables at Potsdam for which she made the plans and is overseer in the masonry work.

The prince has a thorough education in mechanics. While serving his time as a soldier his favorite recreation was lathe work. After he finished his military training he continued his technical work by becoming an apprentice in the employ of an important engineering firm.

He still continues to take a keen interest in all of his wife's work, and it is said that his most prized possession is a book of her drawings which she made in school.

The Empress of Germany is proud of her daughter-in-law's talent, for she herself has a well trained hand. Besides doing beautiful embroidery, even as a young girl she did work in tapestry which was to be compared favorably with the best tapestry work in Germany. This has been shown at bazaars and occasionally sold for charity.

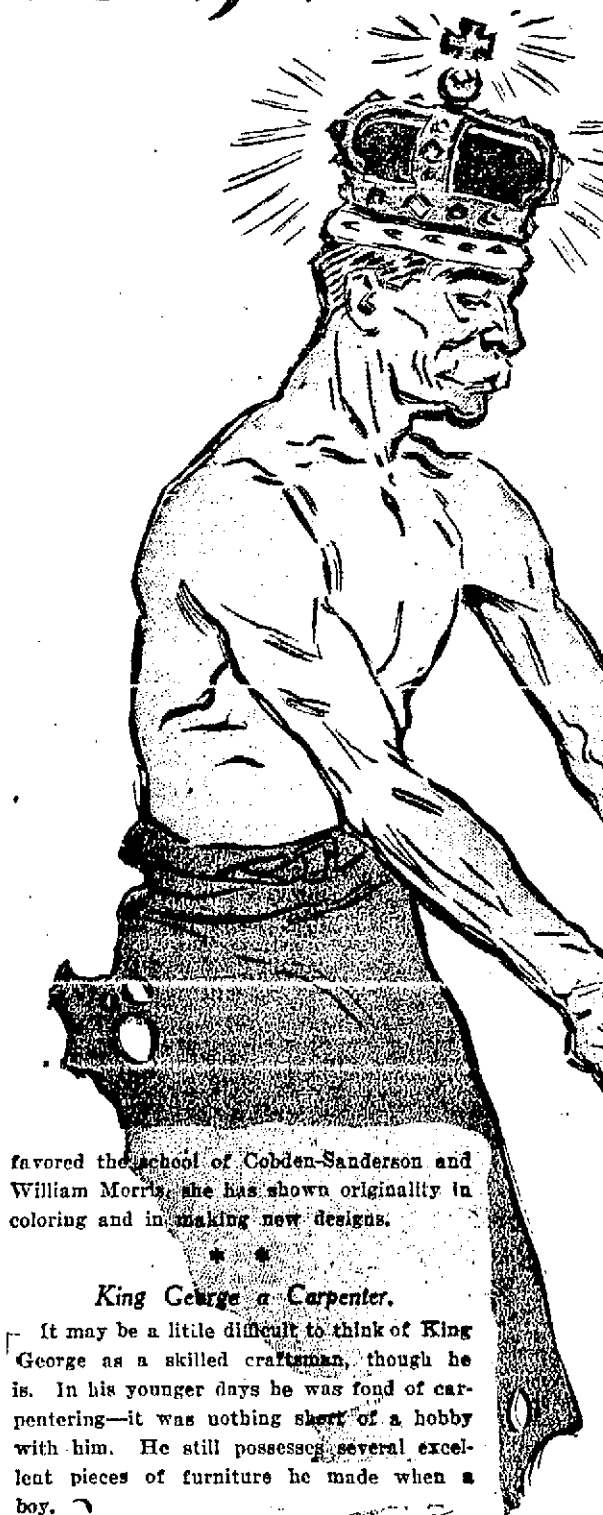
Kaiser a Porcelain Manufacturer.

It goes without saying that Emperor William II. is proudest of his army. His next keenest interest is his large porcelain factory at Potsdam. It belongs to him and every check sent out must receive his signature. Whenever he finds time he pays a visit to the factory and talks with his superintendents and artists, discussing new designs. The porcelain factory has just finished a complete set of dinner dishes decorated with a pattern which the Kaiser designed.

His brother, Prince Henry of Prussia, has taken out a number of patents. The most successful of these is a device for cleaning the window shield fitted to the front of motor cars.

Enameling on silver and gold is a craft that has been popular and reached a high state of perfection in many parts of Europe. It takes skill and patience to be successful in this line of work. Such a worker is Marie Louise of Schleswig-Holstein. The top floor of her residence at Queensberry place, Kensington, is fitted up as her workshop, and she spends a good part of every day making new designs and testing and heating enamel, some of which are so unusual in color that they cannot be imitated.

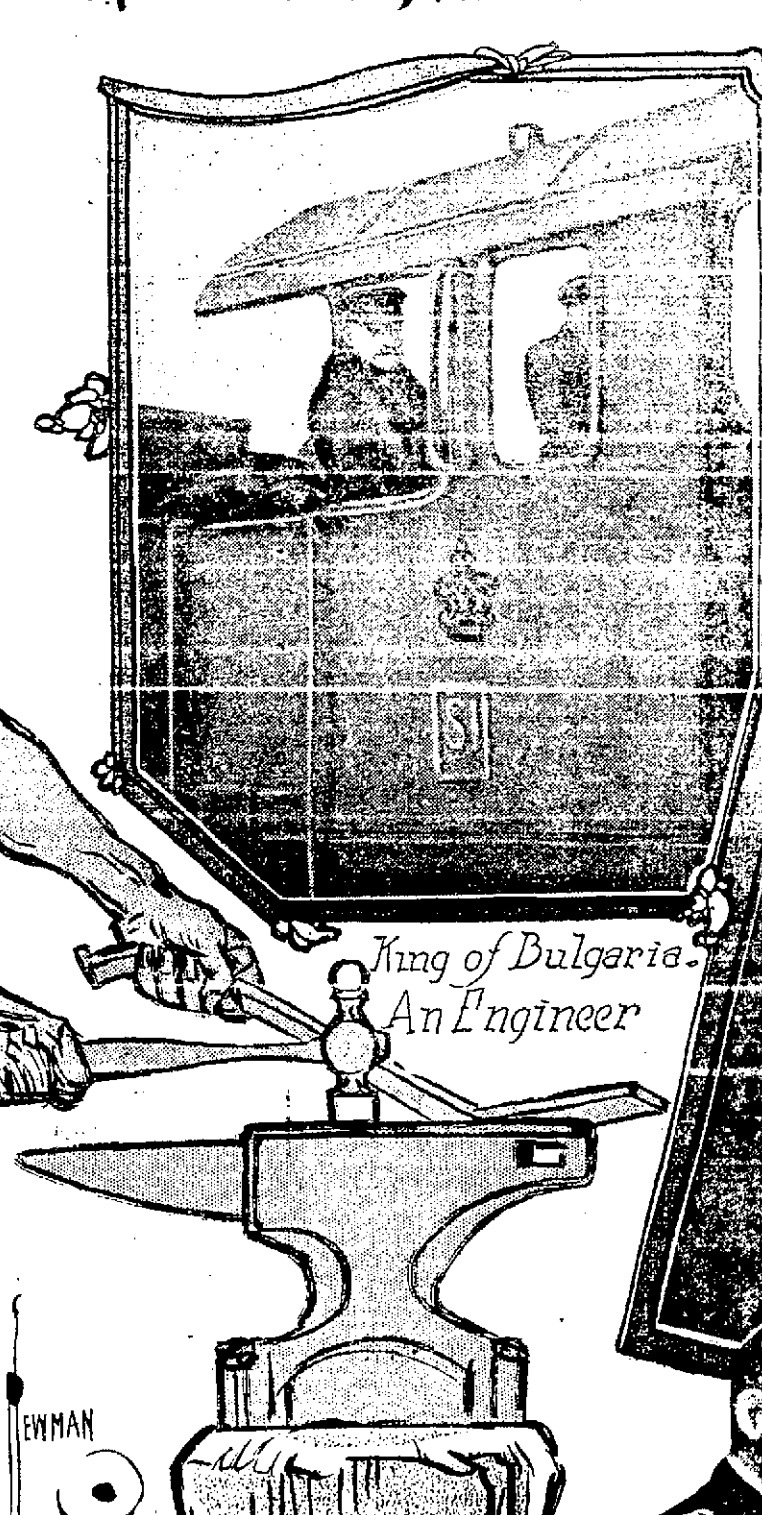
Queen Maud of Norway, the youngest daughter of Queen Alexandra and the late King Edward, devotes hours every day to the craft of binding books. She is skilled in every part of the craft, from the actual binding of the leaves to the finest tooling that can be done on leather. Though she



King George a Carpenter.

It may be a little difficult to think of King George as a skilled craftsman, though he is. In his younger days he was fond of carpentering—it was nothing short of a hobby with him. He still possesses several excellent pieces of furniture he made when a boy.

It is well known that when Louis XVI.



King of Bulgaria
An Engineer



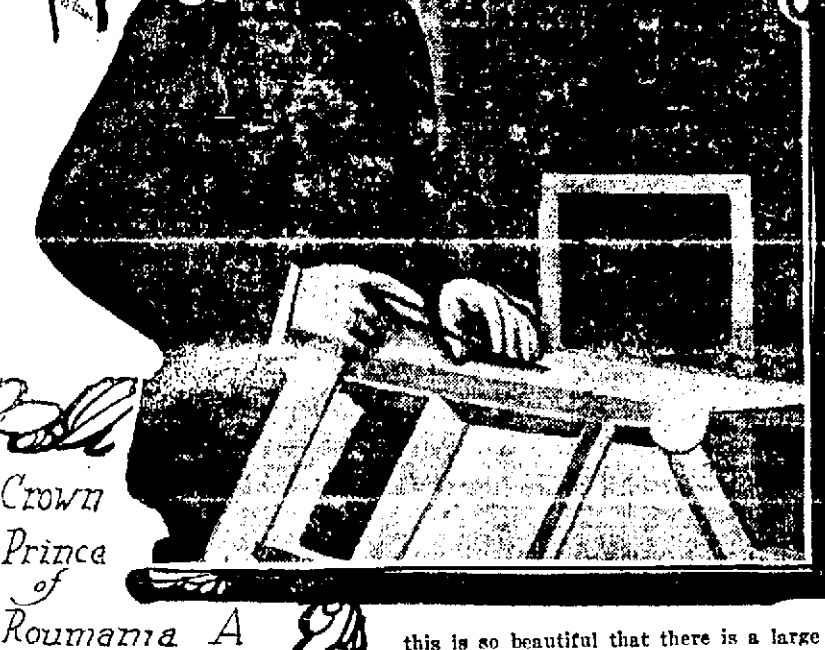
Prince Frederick Sigismund
A Joiner

was not improving his wonderful estates at Versailles he would while away his time repairing and regulating timepieces of all kinds. He kept busy with his clocks and watches until he was a skilled craftsman at the trade. It is hard to say whether his interest in clocks has inspired Princess Hermine or if she has inspired him, but it is also her favorite hobby nevertheless. She has a wonderful collection of timepieces, ancient and modern, and can repair any kind of a timepiece with little difficulty.

The Queen of Roumania, known to the world as Carmen Sylva, is not only a poet and a musician but is skilled in the beautiful needlework which was the craft of her people some centuries ago. Seeing that the younger people were taking less interest in the work, she has a number of classes in her palace and she teaches them the most delicate kind of embroidery work. Some of



Prince Frederick Charles as Blacksmith.



Crown
Prince
of
Roumania A
Cabinet Maker

this is so beautiful that there is a large demand for it in most of the large cities and watering places in Roumania.

Her nephew, the Prince of Roumania, is a skilled cabinetmaker. He is an excellent worker in every line of the trade from the simplest joining to the finest wood carving. He devotes much time to this work, most of the furniture in his studio at the castle of Pelesch being the product of his skill. He is determined that the boys on his estates shall make a living at this trade if they want. So he has a number of classes both for beginners and advanced pupils.

Austrian Duchess Skilled Needleworker.

Owing to Archduchess Isabella's efforts the needlework of the Austrian peasants is in demand in all parts of Europe. Some few years ago she opened a shop in Vienna where she sells her own work and that of the peasants, the money being used in bettering the condition of her people.

Some of the members of royalty have taken up the humbler trades of the blacksmith, engine driver, etc. The Emperor of Germany has two young cousins who are

proud of being adepts at their trade. The one, Prince Frederick Charles of Hohenzollern, takes his weekly lessons as a blacksmith and boasts that he can compete with any young man of his age in shoeing a horse. Prince Frederick Sigismund of Hohenzollern, another cousin, is a skilled joiner.

The King of Bulgaria finds life a dreadful bore, his happiest hours being spent in the cab of his engine. He often runs his private train for short distances, and there is little about an engine he does not understand. He has boasted more than once he is sure that he would find little trouble in handling America's fastest "flyers."

The most daring venture is that of Prince Koulery Onibero, son of the late Prince Belanzin, who is acting as a chauffeur in the Bois. Besides being a skilled chauffeur, he understands all the mechanism connected with an autocar.

The Crown Prince of Roumania is widely known for his expert cabinet work, his handiwork comparing favorably with that of the most skilled artisans of his palace. He delights in his workshop and spends nearly all his leisure time there.

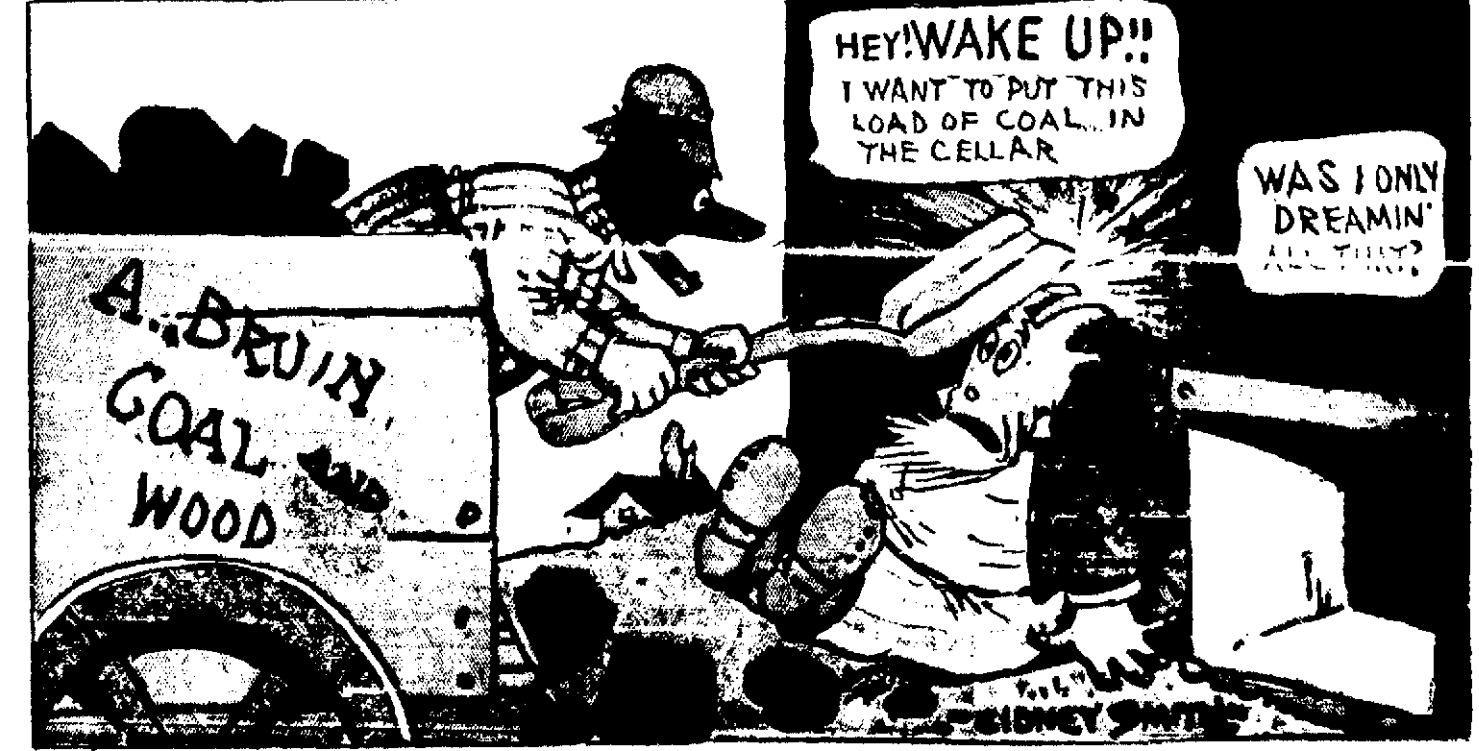
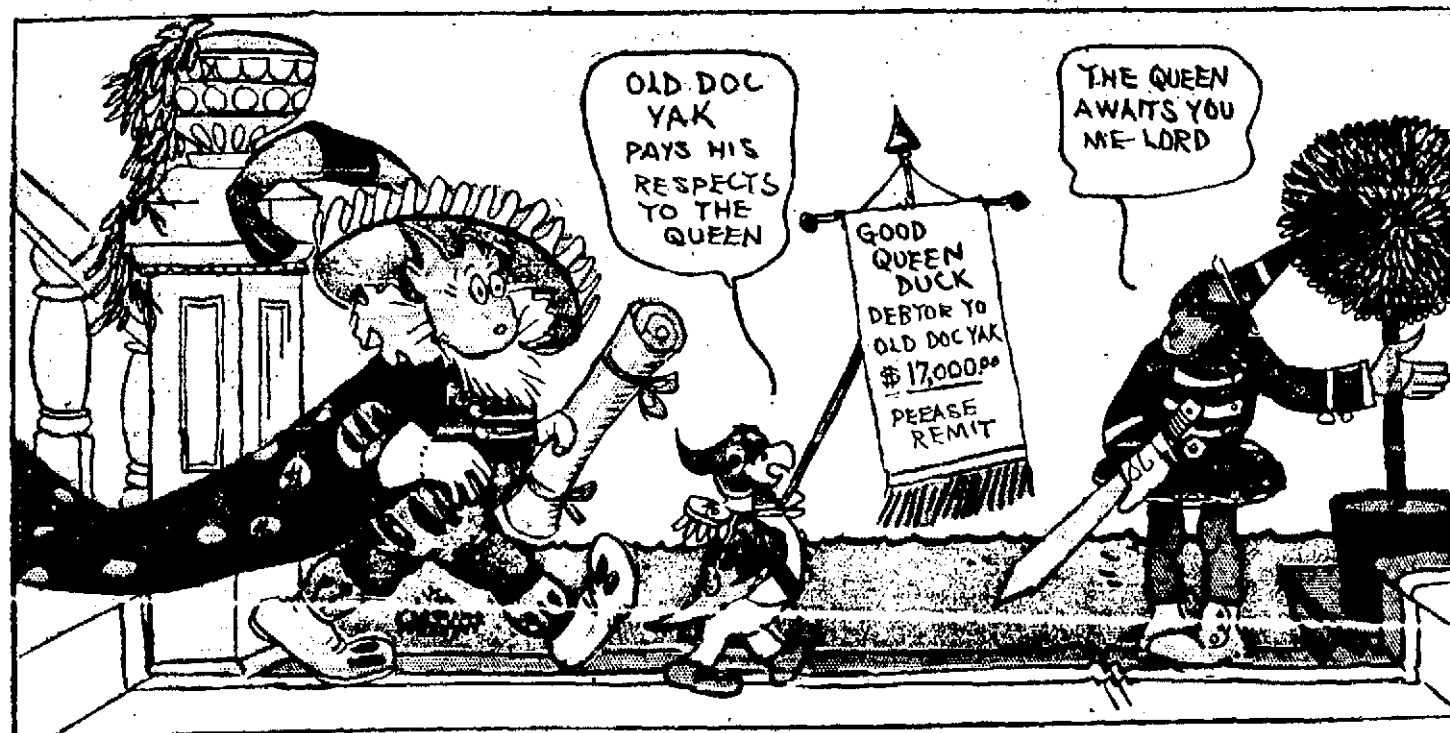
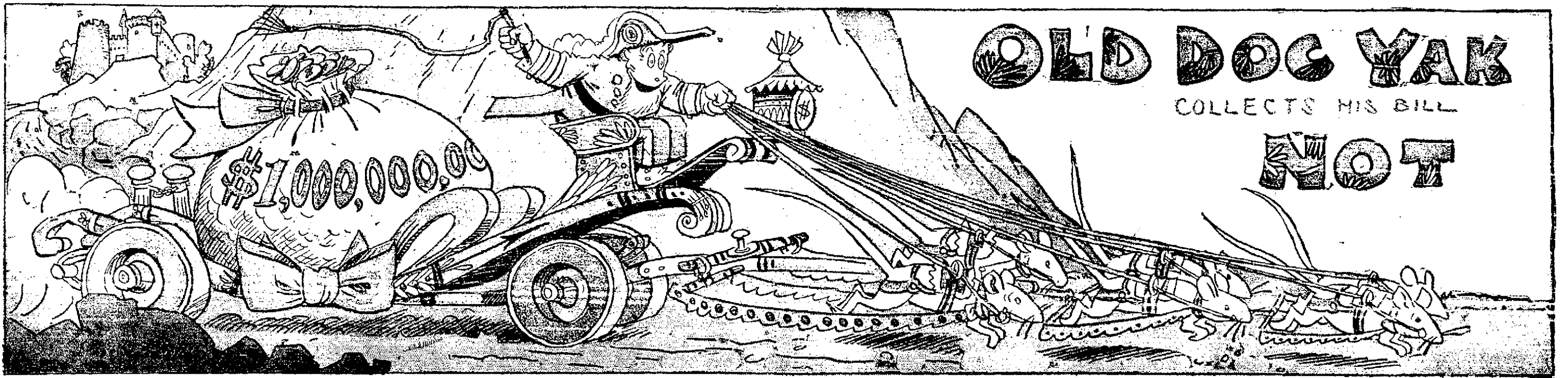
Kings and queens who do actual manual labor do not always work for mere pastime. Many of them are firm in the belief that every man should have a certain amount of manual labor to occupy his mind and keep his body healthy. Games and sports do not always achieve the result. Work develops the mind as well as the hand. Horse shoeing or engine driving has a arousing effect on the man, and kings as a rule appreciate the value of being an all round worker.

In nearly every case, these rulers do not talk of their manual labor except in the family. They are not boastful of it but take it all as a matter of course, as natural as it would be to the village workman who makes his living at the forge or the bench.

It has been the ambition of the German emperor to be an expert in pottery. "I would like to be as good a judge of pottery as my head superintendent," he said not long ago, for am I not his superior officer?"

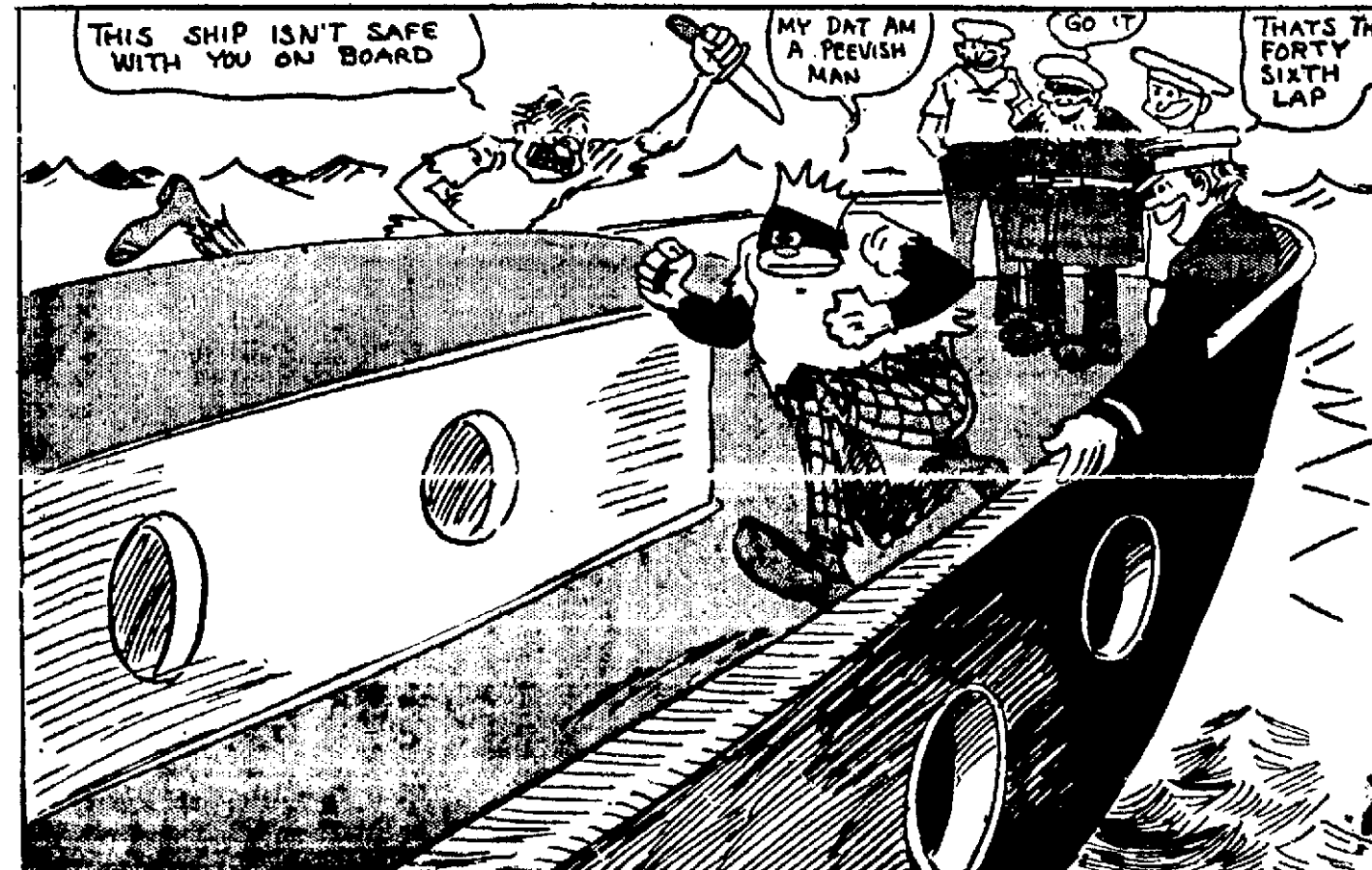
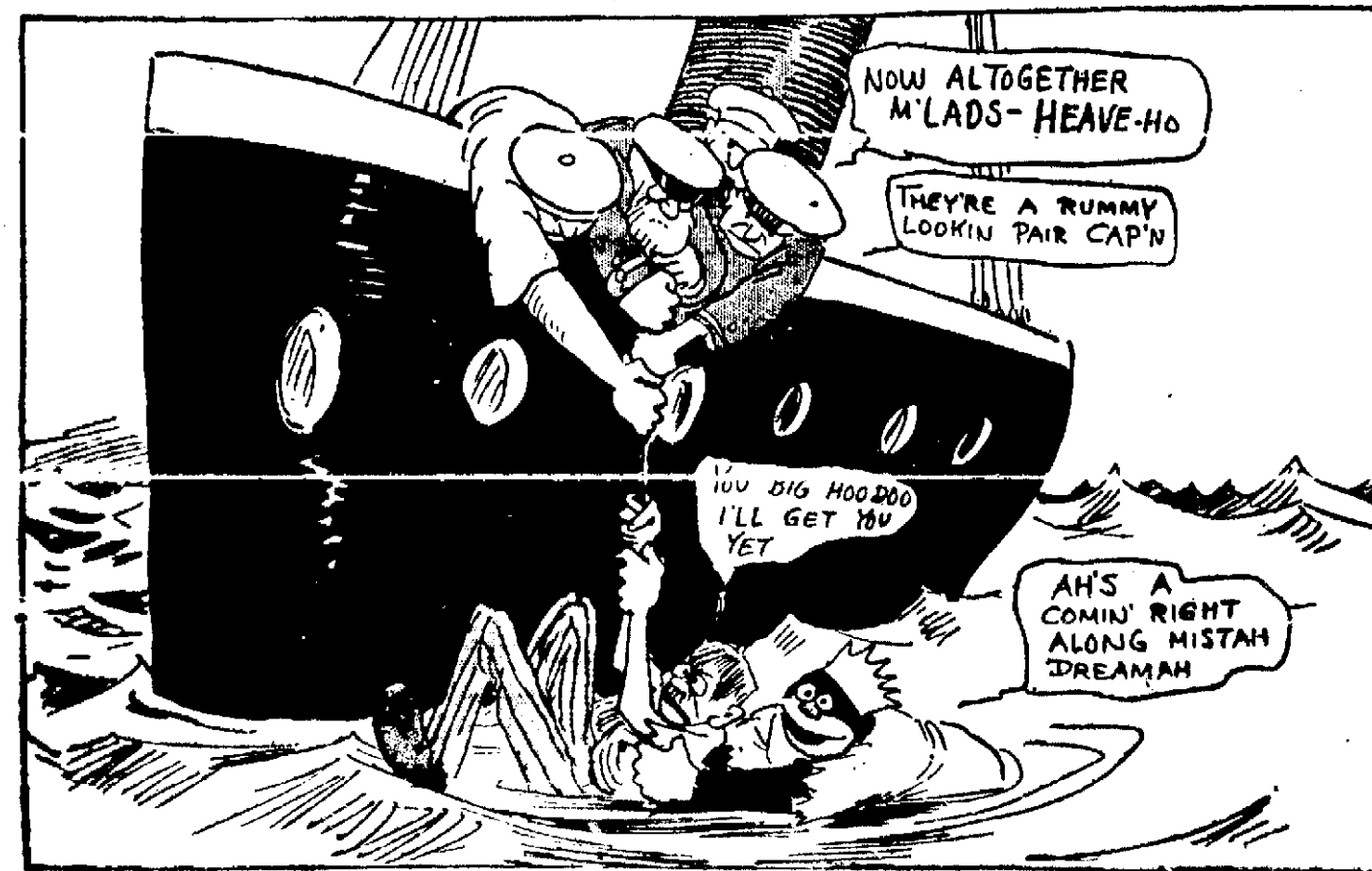
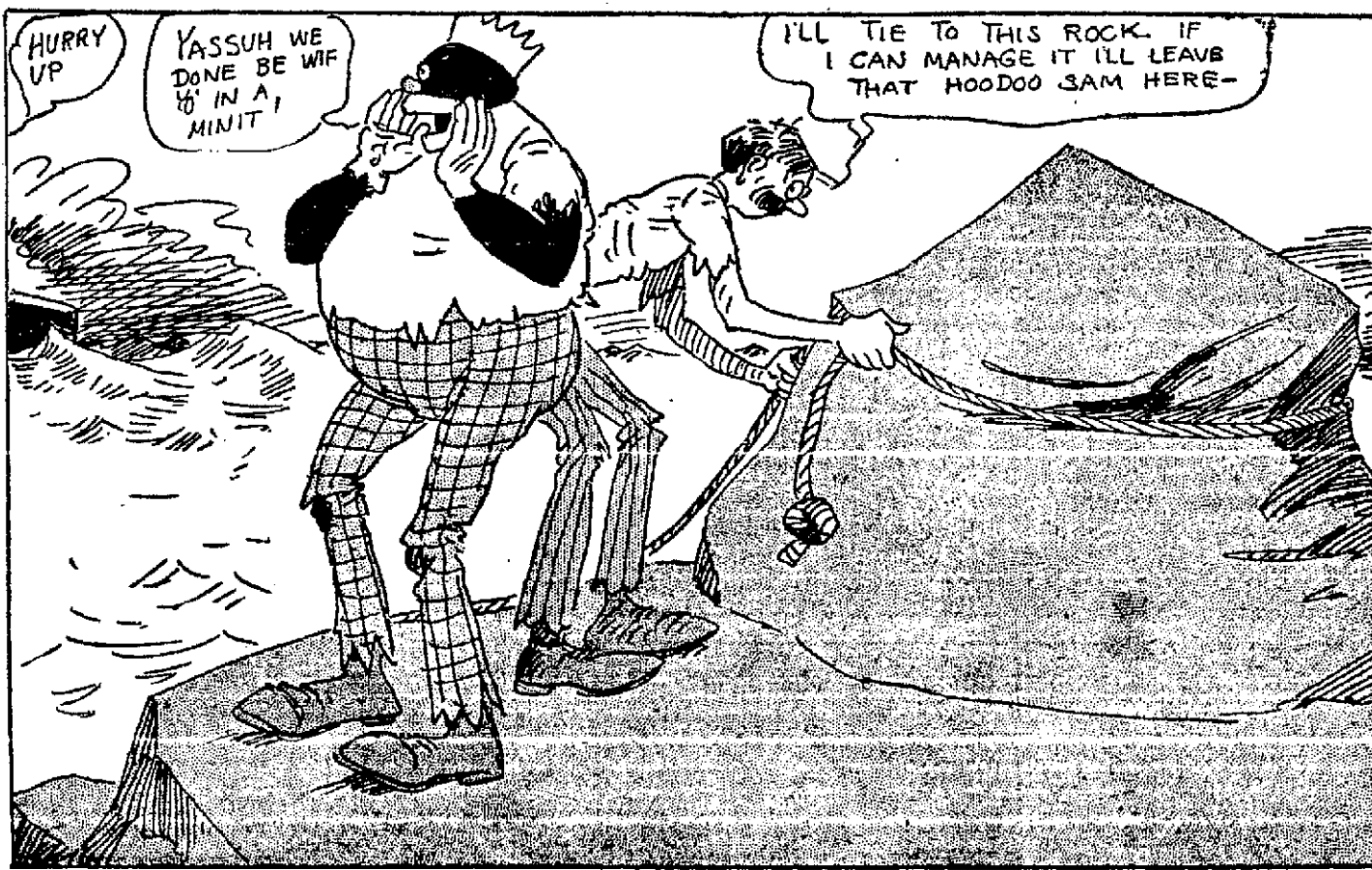
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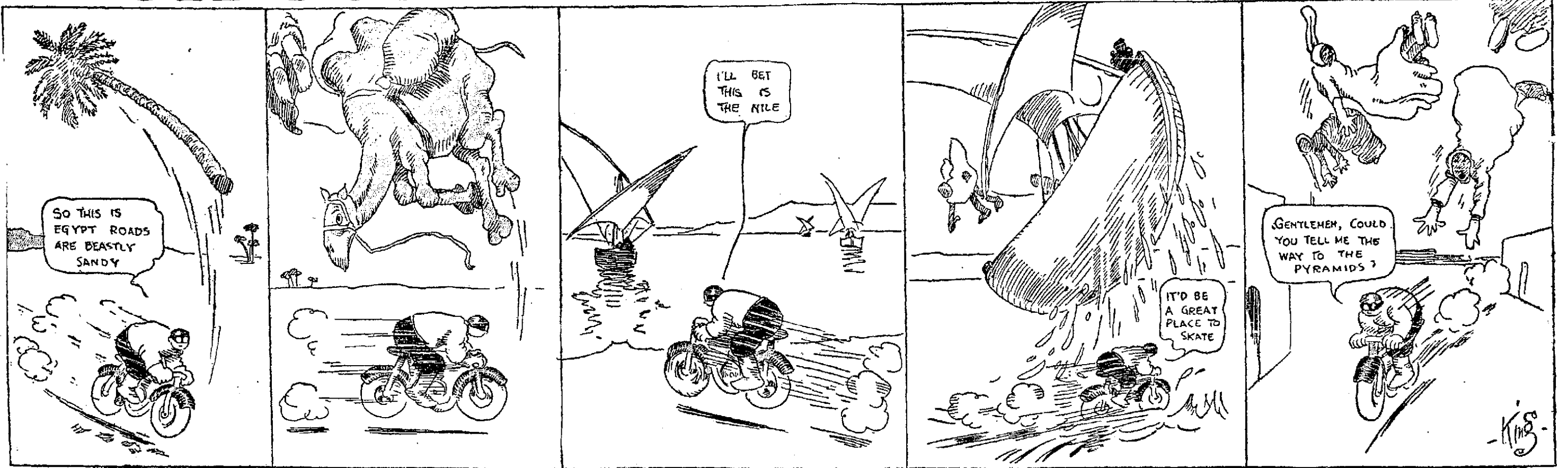


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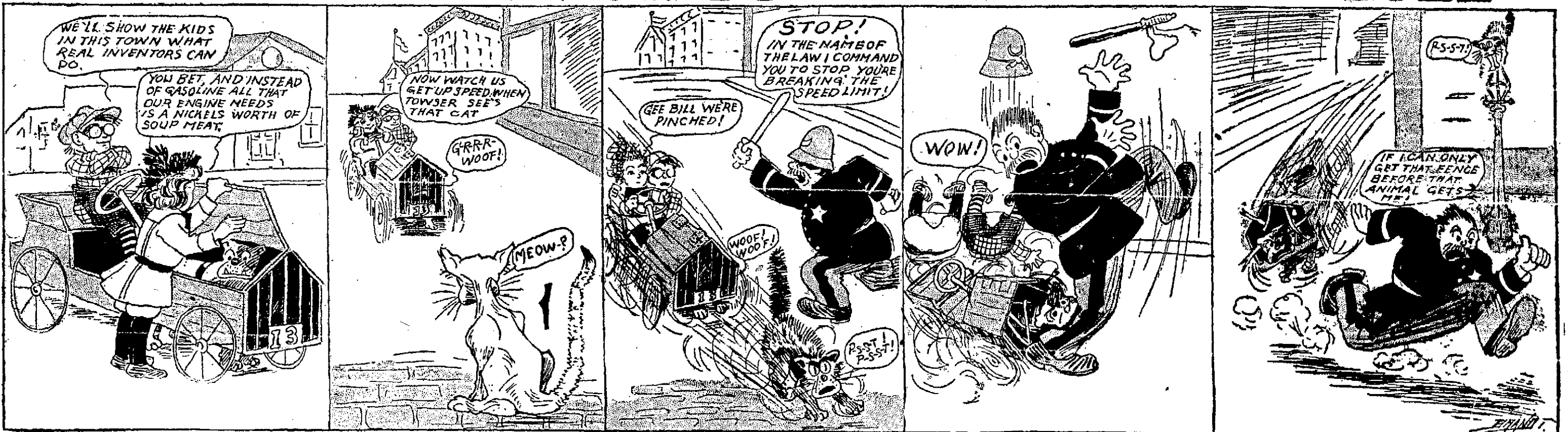
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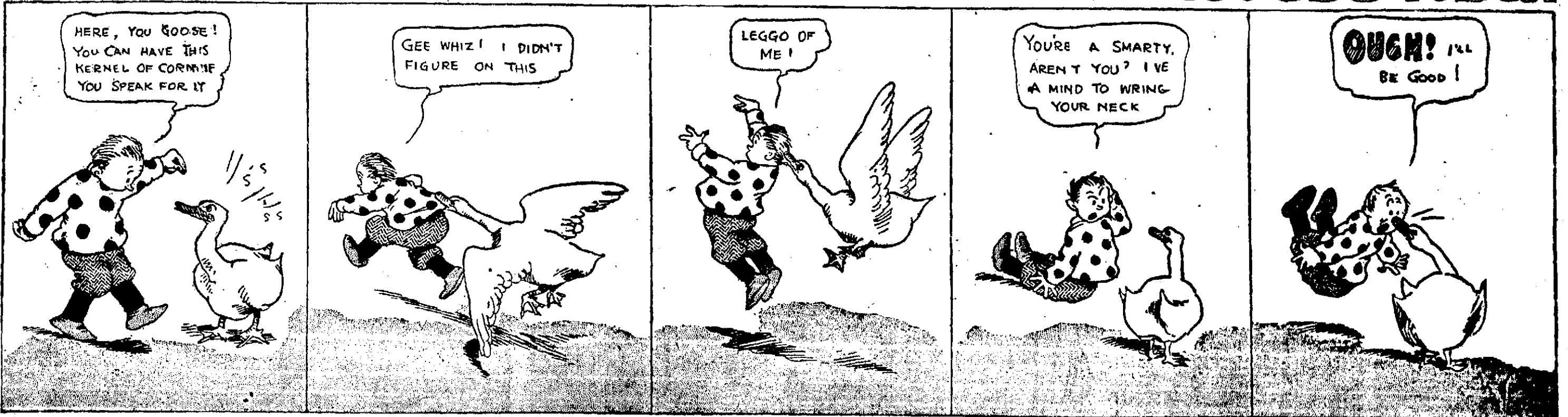
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THE ADVENTURES OF WILLIE AND BILL



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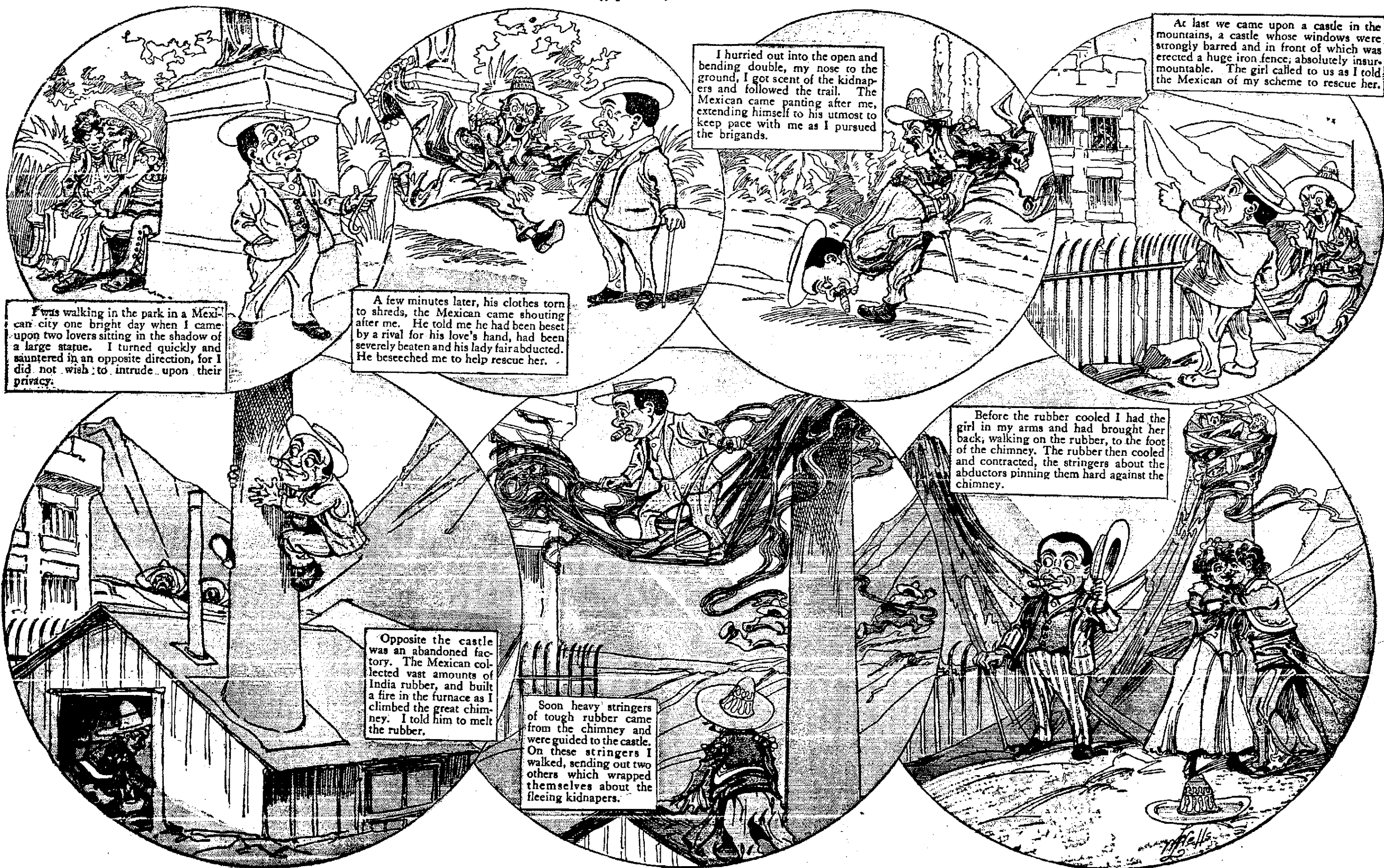


HONEST, HAROLD, DO YOU MEAN WHAT YOU SAY?



OLD OPIE DILLDOCK'S STORIES.

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MAMMA'S ANGEL CHILD BREAKS INTO BASEBALL

